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NATIONAL MINE OFFICIALS ATTEND DEMONSTRATION OF LOCAL MINERS

President John P. White, of Iowa is Principal Speaker at Saturday Celebration

PAYS TRIBUTE TO FEEHAN

Says Local Leader is Man Well Qualified for Position he Holds—Enemies Take to Round About Methods

One of the biggest demonstrations held in years by miners of this section was enjoyed Saturday at Eldora Park, when the annual outing of sub-district No. 3, of District No. 5, United Mine Workers was held. There were between 6,000 and 7,000 miners present, conservatively estimated with their families. The affair began with a parade at Monongahela in the morning. Special trains were run to that place from points on the Ellsworth branch. From Monongahela the line of parade was through Black Diamond and on to the park. Charles Pritchard of Baird, was the chief marshal. Five bands furnished music and there were about 5,000 marchers.

Miners closed down for the day and day having been disbursed on Friday to afford the miners full opportunity for best enjoyment of the affair, miners and their families had joyous time. The morning was spent in regular picnic fashion and at noon a picnic dinner was served. A program of sports proved interesting.

Feehan the Chairman. In the afternoon the chief feature was speaking. John P. White, who succeeded T. L. Lewis, as national president was the chief attraction. People had not heard him in this region before and he proved a big drawing card. Francis Feehan, the resident of District No. 5 was chairman of the meeting. He opened it with a few remarks about conditions in this district, and said that though the fight had been decided against the miners of the Irwin field the fight would still be maintained. The next speaker was Colonel James T. Heffran of Speers. Colonel Heffran spoke of the great loss of life in mines and said that mining legislation was needed as a preventative. He said that each miner should be compelled to hold a certificate of competency before he should be permitted to do expert work in the mines.

District Attorney Speaks. C. L. V. Acheson, district attorney of Washington county, was the second speaker. Mr. Acheson spoke of labor movement and its relation to society. He spoke of the labor element as one of the greatest benefits to society.

National Secretary Edwin Perry said that there was a big membership in the miner's organization now, there was plenty of room for increase. He spoke at some length of the conditions in the Pittsburgh district and said that with the present divided forces little good could be done.

"Concentrate" Advises Hayes. Vice President Hayes' talk was

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J. K. Tener, Pres. S. A. Walton, Vice Pres. R. H. Rush, Cashier.

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MILK SAMPLES ALL FOUND TO BE GOOD

Charleroi People Can Feel Entirely Safe in Drinking Lactal Fluid Sold by Any Milk Dealer

Charleroi people can feel safe in using all the milk they can pay for, according to John Jenkins, Special Agent of the Dairy and Food Division of Pennsylvania, for it is all good. Several days ago samples of milk was taken by Special Agent Jenkins and sent to Prof. F. G. Aschman, State chemist. He has just received back the report, saying that all the samples taken were good. In fact

the milk is considerably above par. Samples were taken from all retailers and wholesalers who sold milk in Charleroi. Not in a single instance was there any milk secured which did not contain the necessary amount of butter fat or solids. There must be 3 1-4 per cent of butter fat contained in the milk and all the samples taken were contained more than that.

WILL HOLD OUTING AT CASCADE PARK

California Business Men and Citizens Will Take Excursion Tuesday

California business men and citizens will hold their annual excursion and outing on Tuesday at Cascade Park and people from various towns along the valley are planning to attend. A special train will leave Brownsville in the morning and make stops at every town between there and Monessen, the big load of course to be taken on at California. Committees have arranged every detail and indications are for one of the most successful outings ever held by the California merchants.

SMALL CHILD IS FOUND ROAMING IN DENSE THICKET

Wandering aimlessly and without the least knowledge which way to go, a little foreign girl about 4 years old was found in the thickets along Maple Creek between Speers and Charleroi Sunday afternoon at about 3 o'clock. The child had evidently been lost for some time. It was taken to the home of Mrs. Edwin Malacord, on First street and Fallowfield avenue and the police notified.

Meanwhile the parents, foreign people living on Lincoln avenue, near Seventh street were conducting a search for the little one. It was finally returned to them at about 6 o'clock.

Misses Price and Blanche Frye have returned from Lake Chautauqua where they spent some weeks.

Special attraction at the Star Theatre this week, Freddie Lindauer, the wonderful pianist. See the two great pictures Thursday, "Greater Love Hath no Man," and "Lorna Doone."

To Secure Tickets.

All persons desiring tickets for the annual outing of California business men at Cascade Park Tuesday can secure them at Monessen depot.

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DIES ON EVE OF BIRTHDAY

Mrs. Moore Expires Just One Hour Before 70th Anniversary of Birth

On the eve of her 70th birthday Mrs. Mary A. Moore, a well known citizen of Charleroi, died Sunday night at 11 o'clock at her home 735 Fallowfield avenue. Had she lived one hour longer she would have lived until the 54th anniversary of her first marriage, as well as the 70th anniversary of her birth.

Three daughters and one son survive. They are: Mrs. Frank Yohe, Sr., of Monongahela; Mrs. Albert Eckles and Mrs. Scott McFeeley of Charleroi, and John Wilson of Charleroi.

Funeral services will be conducted at the home. The interment will be in the Ginger Hill cemetery.

FOUND DEAD ALONG RAILROAD TRACKS

Man's Body Found Near Spot Where He Was Hit Once Before

At almost exactly the same spot on the P. V. & C. railroad in Mingo, where two years ago he was badly injured by being struck by a train, the body of James Williams, aged 42, a well known miner of Courtney, was picked up Saturday with life extinct.

It is supposed that Williams came to his death by being struck by a train during the night while walking along the tracks. His widow and four children survive.

DONORA BAPTISTS START A CHURCH

The Baptist denomination of Donora, has organized a church. Arrangements are being made to employ a pastor. The church started very auspiciously with twenty charter members and many others who wish to come in.

Returns From Convention.

Dr. and Mrs. C. C. Wright have returned from Chicago, Ill., where the former attended the national convention of osteopaths. Dr. Wright is the president of the Western Pennsylvania Osteopathic association and attended as a delegate from this State. Dr. and Mrs. Wright also visited at Winona Lake and while there heard Rev. Billy Sunday, the evangelist, as well as other noted speakers.

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LANDMARK DESTROYED BY FLAMES

Old Log House at Gibsonton Burned to the Ground

NEARLY 100 YEARS OLD

An old log house at Gibsonton, erected when most of the country hereabouts was a wilderness, was burned to the ground Sunday afternoon, and much of the household goods belonging to Wm. Frits, the occupant, was destroyed. The fire was of unknown origin.

When flames were discovered at the north end of the dwelling an alarm was turned in and the North Belle Vernon fire department hastened to the scene. There were no hose connections and a bucket brigade was formed. The old log house, dry as tinder, burned rapidly and the best that could be done was to get some of the furniture out. The Fritz people were away.

The building which was an old landmark was owned by the Gibsonton Distilling company. It was built between 70 and 100 years ago by Jacob Irons, father of John Irons now a well known resident of Rosetraver township and has stood ever since.

POPULAR YOUNG COUPLE MARRIED IN WEST VIRGINIA

Quietly going to New Cumberland, W. Va., and to a minister's house there Miss Edith May Devore, the popular daughter of Contractor A. L. Devore, of Monongahela and Joseph A. Ballard, pianist for Wheeler's orchestra were married on last Friday. Returning they announced their marriage today.

Mr. Ballard is a sergeant of Company H, Eighteenth regiment, N. G. P., and was at the campment at Indiana last week. Securing a furlough from his company on Thursday evening he came to Pittsburgh and meeting his bride-to-be, proceeded unknown to friends to New Cumberland to be wedded.

Mrs. Ballard is a popular young woman of Monongahela. She is also quite well known in Charleroi. Mr. Ballard has been here only since the opening of the Eldora Park season, but during that time he has cultivated many acquaintances. Temporarily the couple will remain here, but this winter they will take up their residence in Pittsburgh.

JIMMY VALENTINE AT ELDORA PARK

Elusive Chap and His Pal Are Both Captured After Long Search

The presence of the noted Jimmy Valentine and his pal at Eldora Park attracted many to that pleasure resort on Sunday and eager search was conducted for the elusive couple. The search ended in Jimmy's discovery Sunday night about 9 o'clock when he was cornered by Frank Porter, of near Finleyville. Jimmy was captured near the station, and for his trouble Porter was given \$10. F. Hosting, of Charleroi was successful in discovering Jimmy's pal in the afternoon at about 4:30 o'clock. He was given \$5.

Sunday was a nice day to spend at the park the warm weather making the shade of the trees very desirable.

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WILL URGE SUNDAY TO CONDUCT CAMPAIGN HERE

Found Lying Across Track

Tired Man Goes to Sleep in Most Convenient Place, the Middle of Street

Lying across the car track, sleeping the sleep of the utterly weary—wary from over indulgence in bilge water—a man was arrested Sunday morning early near Eleventh street on McKean avenue. He was taken to the lockup and allowed to complete his rest there. Later he was taken before Burgess Risbeck and given some sound advice. Three arrests were made by the police on Saturday and one on Sunday.

ONE KILLED IN ACCIDENT

Automobile Containing Five Persons Struck by Car

One was killed and three others seriously injured when a Pittsburgh-Charleroi car struck an automobile at Logan's Crossing near Library, Sunday afternoon.

THE DEAD. George Brenneman, aged 34 a Pittsburgh theatre man. Hips crushed and injured internally. Died at the Southside hospital.

THE INJURED. Edgar Brenneman, aged 7, son of George Brenneman, cut about the face, head and body. Taken to his home, 221 Boggs avenue, Mount Washington.

Mrs. Grace Brenneman, aged 25, wife of George Brenneman, cut and bruised about the face, head and body and suffering greatly from shock. Taken to the Brenneman home.

Mrs. Minnie Baker, aged 45, mother of Mrs. Brenneman, severely cut and bruised about the face, head and body; also suffering from shock. Taken to the Brenneman home.

The Brenneman's with George Brenneman at the wheel were out for a trip through rural districts. Near what is known as Ford's Stop, on the Charleroi line, the machine was being driven at a rapid speed.

Brenneman, at the wheel, did not notice the approach of the car. When he attempted to drive the auto across the tracks the big car crashed into the machine, hurling it more than 60 feet to the side of the road.

Brenneman and his young son occupied the front seat and it was this part of the machine that was struck. Brenneman and the boy were thrown fully 50 feet to the side of the track. The women and automobile landed in a heap further down the track. Brenneman was picked up unconscious and placed on board the car with his son, who was not so badly injured. The women were buried beneath the wrecked machine and the passengers soon extricated them and placed them also on the car. Brenneman was rushed to the hospital while the others were taken home. The machine is a total wreck.

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Representatives From Three Towns Hold Meeting

UNANIMOUS ACTION TAKEN

Plans to be Formulated for Evangelistic Services at Future Meeting

Unanimous action was taken by ministers and laymen from Charleroi, Belle Vernon and Monessen churches Sunday afternoon at a meeting held in the First Presbyterian church, Charleroi, to secure the services of Rev. "Billy" Sunday, the noted evangelist for an evangelistic campaign which it is planned to hold in this valley. No definite arrangements were made, however, and a meeting will be held on August 20 in Charleroi, at which time church workers from towns between Fayette City and Donora will be present. Committees will be appointed then to perfect arrangements.

It is not known when Sunday has an open date, or when he can arrange to come. But it is the intention to secure him if possible before two years. No other name was mentioned at the meeting Sunday as a suitable person for conducting the evangelistic campaign on the large scale desired.

To secure Rev. Sunday it will be necessary to erect a tabernacle. This matter will be taken up after it is learned just when the evangelist will come. A special committee will be appointed to look after this matter and also a committee will be appointed to confer with the evangelist to ascertain the earliest possible date that he can give.

A committee from Monessen composed of ministers and laymen interviewed Rev. Sunday last spring about coming here and he showed considerable interest but could give no definite answer as to a date. He comes to McKeesport this fall.

According to one of the leading local spirits in the movement to secure Sunday, it will take about eight months at the least to prepare. Nothing definite can be done until after the meeting on August 20 when it will be learned just what churches will join in the movement. The Adult Federated Classes of Charleroi, and the Charleroi Ministerial association are the leaders in the plan to secure Sunday.

Lawn Fete

The lawn fete held Saturday evening by Mrs. John Maines, Miss Anna Barrett and Miss Rose Rogan, on the Eagles lot on McKean avenue, was a fine success socially and financially. A large number of people were served. The grounds presented a very picturesque appearance. The proceeds will go towards a fund the L. C. B. A. is creating for St. Jeromes new church.

Notice of Meeting.

The regular monthly meeting of the Charleroi Fire Department will be held in their meeting room on Tuesday evening August 1, 1911 at 8 p. m.

J. W. Scribner, Pres.

S. M. Martin, Sec.

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July 30 In American History.

1492—Alonso de Ercilla, N. Y., invested and taken by the British under Amherst.
1775—General George Edward Pickett, leader of the memorable charge at Gettysburg, died; born 1823.
1903—First joint meeting of army and navy general board held at Washington.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

From noon today to noon tomorrow.
Sun sets 7:13; rises 4:51; moon sets 12:13 p. m.; sun's declination today, 23 degrees 31 minutes north of celestial equator.

July 31 In American History.

1775—Andrew Johnson, vice president, who became president upon the death of Lincoln, died; born 1808.
1900—John Clark Ridpath, author and historian, died; born 1841.
1910—John G. Carlisle, Kentucky statesman and secretary of the treasury under President Cleveland, died; born 1835. President Taft said there could be no lawful objection to statue of General Robert E. Lee in Confederate uniform in statuary hall of national capitol.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

From noon today to noon tomorrow.
Sun sets 7:12; rises 4:52; moon sets 12:34 p. m.; moon's age, 6 days.

JUST PLAYING POLITICS

Politics is just now running riot in the United States congress. The best interests of the country at large have been forced aside with a view to promoting Presidential ambitions. The regular Republicans are having precious little to say in the work. They are suppressed. The insurgents or Progressives and the Democrats are in command. Occasionally these political elements unite and accomplish something that for the instant promotes the purposes of one or another of the many Presidential possibilities, but as a general rule they spend the time fighting.

They are simply sparring for time and position and all at the expense of the people. The Progressives are determined that La Follette shall be the candidate for the Presidency and are busy bringing grist to his mill. The Democrats are just as determined that Mr. Underwood, or Speaker Clark shall be the candidate to succeed Mr. Taft. In the meantime the fight between these elements goes on with much bitterness.

Senator Boies Penrose, the accepted leader of the regular Republicans in the Senate, has announced that the interests of the whole people may best be served by an early adjournment of Congress. He contends that no matter what bills are ground out through the selfish combination of the Democratic and Progressives the President will veto them. If Senator Penrose is able to force his judgment upon the warring factions Congress will adjourn finally within 10 days.

SCHOOL TRAINING.

All over the United States a movement is on for the broader practice training of the child in school, says the Kane Leader. The claim is that the vast majority of children need practical instruction to meet the demand their lives will make on them for practical effort.

To meet such demands the new movement would have the girls made familiar with household economies and the boys with something likely to be a help in the world's work.

It is all right for a girl to know how to figure compound interest and the extraction of the square root, but it is just as useful to her to figure on the nutrition ratios of food as to put in the time on ratios as an abstract factor.

Cooking is just as much of a science as arithmetic is, and the chemistry of cooking and of nourishing the human system is as much of a chemical study as the organic or inorganic manifestations laid down in the ordinary text books.

Sentiment and tradition have bound the school course down to a theoretical side, and barred the practical side, even though the practical side affords just as much of the mental training as the theoretical dose. Boys and girls need to learn things and to learn the things that can be applied to daily work.

If it comes to a test between the theoretical and the practical the practical should be given the way every time, for every child needs practical instruction. But practical is not conflicting with theoretical, it is merely applying the theoretical, and therefore broadening it. Our schools all need broadening in this direction.

ELECTRIC SPARKS

Work is a handy thing to let alone, if you can.

Oh, hang it, why can't they quit talking reciprocity a little while now and let us rest.

If Congress and people generally keep pestivating as long about this reciprocity business as they did about Schedule K, the insane asylums will have to enlarge their buildings.

Uh huh! They are going to probe the money trust.

Still, it is possible that LaFollette is not so much to blame for his pompadour.

The Congressional Record is a mighty good paper but it couldn't get much of a circulation depending upon street sales.

One advantage of having poor teeth is that with them you don't have to worry about roasting ears.

The Rivers and Harbors Committee of Congress certainly had sufficient argument presented as to why the Ohio should be provided with a nine-foot stage. Moreover it was presented in a way that they couldn't well overlook.

Wheel! Dentists have discovered that all a homely person has to do to become pretty is to have their dental area beautified.

It might be well to notify Dr. Osler that the most successful men are most successful after they get 40 years old.

The man who can fly an airship may be a hero but he's not in it with the big baseball players nowadays.

Vacation Idles. We've got two weeks' vacation and our clothes are in the grip. And all we now require is the money for the trip.

A company has been formed to teach the bible to "ministers and others." It might be added; principally to "others."

A maiden there was, very sweet. Her figure was cove-y and neat; But when you looked down You learned with a frown, She'd inherited her father's big feet.

PICKED UP IN PASSING

Here is a good one about Connie Mack, who was seeking the cause for a losing slump of his baseball team—earlier in the season. The great manager doped out a reason, and it

is the most unique excuse ever offered for losing baseball games, but Connie is absolutely honest about it. "I have the best team in the world," said Connie, "but the trouble is that I have too many bridegrooms on it. My recently married men get on the field, their brides sit in the grandstand and the men are so anxious to please they just forget what they know of the game."

"And the worst of it all," continued Connie, "is that I am a bridegroom myself, so what on earth am I going to do about it?"

That disputes between nations should be settled by an umpire as disputes between rival American baseball teams are settled, was the keynote of an address delivered by Baron d'Estournelles de Constant the French statesman, before the students of the University of Minnesota the other day.

Baron de Constant spoke of the wastefulness and destructiveness of war.

"You have your great American baseball," the baron said. "When you have troubles and disputes you do not start boxing with each other. Though sometimes they almost end in fights, self-control and discipline prevail and the matter is settled. Why not do the same in war?"

LIVE UNDER THE SAME ROOF

Then, and Not Until Then, Will You Become Really Acquainted With Your Friends.

Two households may stand side by side on the same street, two families live within hailing distance of one another for years in the same community, and yet have opposite tastes, sentiments and convictions. The children of each growing up together may marry and, until they reach the period of new adjustment, never suspect how antagonistic has been their early training. This is one reason why the first year of marriage is so beset with briars and thorns. Everybody knows that until people actually dwell under the same roof they do not mutually become acquainted. A single week spent with a friend at a house party does more to promote intimacy or indifference than years of superficial social intercourse.

The touch-and-go meetings incidental to teas and receptions are the merest suggestions of personality, but when one sits day after day beside the fire or at the table with a neighbor, each ceasing to be on guard, real understanding begins. Even correspondence, which to a degree is in the nature of revelation, does not make people so well acquainted and is by no means so true a test of disposition and temperament as the test of living together. During courtship and betrothal an engaged pair are on probation. Without effort each displays qualities of charm that cannot fail to be attractive. The most ordinary speech has a flavor of compliment. The future husband and wife are walking through a land of dreams. Shall the dreams come true? They surely will if on both sides there are fixed principles of honor, justice and fidelity.—Mrs. Sangster in Woman's Home Companion.

HE WROTE THE GREAT PLAY

Friends Praised It, Famous Manager Took It to Read—and Then He Woke Up.

"My friends had always insisted that I could write a great play," said Jordan. "If I would only set my hand to the task. Well, to be frank, I had long cherished the idea myself that I possessed the ability to do something worth while in the way of providing material for the stage. Like so many of my fellow laborers in the journalistic field, however, I found it exceedingly difficult to secure the time which was necessary for the production of a drama. The best I could do was to steal an hour now and then to devote to the great work. This I did faithfully and zealously, and, after two years of study and earnest endeavor my play began to near completion.

"My friends were enthusiastic. I had been fortunate enough to hit upon an entirely new plot, and, if I may say so, I had handled it admirably. Each of the four acts was filled with thrilling situations; the comedy was subtle and insinuating; the pathos was genuine and the interest was splendidly sustained. Having administered the finishing touches, I took my play to a great producing manager. He had an office in a large building on Broadway.

"With my play done up in a neat package I entered the anteroom, where a young man greeted me respectfully and admitted that the great manager was not out of the city. In fact, the young man consented to take my card into his employer. I had waited only a minute or two when the young man returned and graciously conducted me to the manager, who cordially shook hands with me and said that he would be glad to personally read my play and consider it strictly on its merits."

"Yes. What then?" "Well, just at that moment something fell somewhere, making a loud, clattering noise, so I crawled out of bed and put on my clothes."—Chicago Record-Herald.

MISS DOROTHY IS "CO'MON"

Her Friendliness Was the Kind That Made People Feel at Home With Her.

When people asked Mrs. Hobart which of the two Lombards she liked the better, she was always prompt to reply, "I like em both first-rate, but Miss Dorothy's my favorite, because she's so common. Miss Mary is different."

"Common!" echoed the summer boarder to whom Mrs. Hobart first made this statement. "What do you mean?"

"Why, I mean common," repeated Mrs. Hobart with firmness, "like folks. What else does common mean, I'd be glad to know? One day they came to see me together, and I hadn't more'n sat down with 'em before I heard something on the stove sizzling the way they do when they've got all but to the top and are just about ready to surge over. I said, 'Excuse me a minute, and run, for I don't let things boil over on my stove, not if 'twas kings and queens in the sitting room.'"

"When I came back, they sat here, looking pretty as roses, both of 'em. And Miss Mary said, in that sweet voice of hers, gazing out over the hen yard, 'What a pleasant view you have, Mrs. Hobart?'"

"Now that was real society tact, I s'pose, for the window she'd chosen don't command any view beyond the hen yard but the barn. But Miss Dorothy, bless her little heart, looked right at me, with her eyes all twinkly, and she said, 'O, I hope it didn't boil over, Mrs. Hobart, and I felt at home with her right off.'—Youth's Companion.

The Royal Oak.

The actual tree into which Charles vanished was hacked to pieces within a few years by relic hunters, and the present royal oak at Boscombe is merely a descendant. A salver made from the original royal oak is still possessed by Oxford university, and countless chairs, tables, altars, picture frames and snuff boxes claim to be made out of the same sacred material. Charles II. intended to commemorate his escape at Boscombe by establishing a new order of "Knights of the Royal Oak," but thought best "not to keep awake animosities." The name of the "Royal Oak" has been preserved in the navy since 1664. The first ship to bear this historic name met with an ignominious fate, being burned by the Dutch when they came up the Medway in 1667. Oak Apple day, now little observed except by school boys, was formerly a great anniversary and for long after the Restoration a Royal Oak invariably figured in all civic pageants.—Westminster Gazette.

An Immense Flower.

The largest of all the flowers of the world is said to be the Rafflesia, a native of Sumatra, so called after Sir Stamford Raffles. This immense flower is composed of five round petals of a brickish color, each measuring a foot across. These are covered with numerous irregular yellowish white swellings.

The petals surround a cup nearly a foot wide, the margin of which bears the stamens. The cup of the Rafflesia is filled with a fleshy disk, the upper surface of which is covered with projections like miniature cows' horns. The cup when free from its contents will hold about twelve pints. The flower weighs about fifteen pounds and is very thick, the petals being three-quarters of an inch.—Scientific American.

Don't Want 'Em Back.

An economical young man who was much bored by the requests of fickle young women to return their photographs decided upon desperate measures to put a stop to the unnecessary expenditure of time and postage.

He announced his intention of starting a Venus collection to contain the pictures of the 100 most beautiful women in the world, and now the girls never ask for their pictures.

No Need for Flattery.

Mrs. Flynn—"Phwat a charmin' child!" Mrs. Kelly—"Tis Mrs. Casey's. O'im holdin' ut for her while she buys a hat." Mrs. Flynn—"Phwat a homely little brute ut is!" —Puck

PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD

Niagara Falls

AND RETURN
Saturday, August 12, 1911
EXCURSION TICKETS good to return on regular trains until August 16, inclusive, will be sold at the following low rates

Regular trains leave	Fares	Regular trains leave	Fares
Redstone Jc.....7:45a	\$6.15	Courtney.....7:45a	\$5.50
Smock.....8:15a	6.10	Elrama.....7:45a	5.50
W. Brownsville.....8:32a	7.21	W. Elizabeth.....7:45a	5.50
Hopewell.....9:00a	7.45	Clinton.....7:45a	5.50
California.....9:10a	7.50	Willson.....7:45a	5.50
Coal Centre.....9:47a	8.01	Coal Valley.....8:42a	5.50
Roscoe.....10:10a	8.08	Dravosburg.....8:00a	5.25
Allenport.....10:20a	8.10	So. Duquesne.....8:05a	5.25
Belle Vernon.....10:30a	8.15	Duquesne.....8:08a	5.25
Charleroi.....10:40a	8.20	Munhall.....8:15a	5.25
W. Monaca.....10:50a	8.25	Homestead.....8:18a	5.00
Monaca.....10:55a	8.30	Twelfth St.....8:22a	5.00
Monong. City.....11:00a	8.35		

Passengers change at PITTSBURG to regular trains leaving Union Station 9.00 a. m., 1.10 p. m. and 10.45 p. m.
ELECTRIC RAILWAY FROM THE FALLS TO THE WHIRLPOOL

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For Register of Wills
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Primaries Sept. 30, 1911

For Register of Wills,
FRANK B. WICKERHAM
MONONGAHELA, PA.
Primaries Sept. 30 1911

For County Treasurer
HOMER H. SPRIGGS
EAST WASHINGTON
Formerly of West Bethlehem Township
Subject to Republican Rules
Primaries September 30, 1911
Your Vote and Influence Solicited

For Register
Loren F. Hopkins
CENTERVILLE, PA.
Primaries Sept. 30, 1911
Subject to Republican Rules

For Clerk of Courts
W. S. LOCKHART
MCDONALD, PENNA.
SUBJECT TO REPUBLICAN RULES
YOUR SUPPORT SOLICITED

For County Treasurer
C. S. Ritchie
NORTH FRANKLIN
According to Rules of Republican Party
Primaries Sept. 30, 1911

Hungry Boy.
Mercy on us, hungry boy, what a blessing you enjoy with your sturdy little tum always eager for a crumb. What a privilege is yours, taking care of apple cores, carbohydrates starches, pie, anything a fire can fry, any protoid at all, so they make it in a ball, in a dumpling or a cake such as mother used to make. May your stomach give you joy! I was once a hungry boy.

Consequently, little man, do your feeding while you can. Eat your fill and sleep your sleep while your apparatus keeps smooth and working and your dreams, continues the St. Louis Post-Dispatch, are not frazzled at the seams. Not for long is that great joy, so go to it, hungry boy.

Leaving a Piano Open.
It is best to close the piano as soon as you have finished playing, both on account of the dust and the variations of the atmosphere. The keyboard should be kept scrupulously clean. Alcohol or diluted ammonia may be used for this purpose with advantage.

Cod Fisheries Remunerative.
The catch of cod in the United States is third in value of fish caught, amounting to almost \$3,000,000, followed by that of shad, lobster and clams.

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The conservative methods of this bank and its record of nearly 13 years of successful banking, as well as the courteous treatment you will receive to make all your relations with this institution satisfactory and pleasant, are our best recommendation.

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Go After Business

In a business way—the advertising way. An ad in this paper offers the maximum service at the minimum cost. It reaches the people of the town and vicinity you want to reach.

Try It—It Pays

An Eskimo's Dwelling.
We do not look for any great amount of inventive genius among the Eskimos, but for years they have employed a rather complete respirator, used in the preparation and taking of a vapor bath, as a means of protection from the dense smoke. This Eskimo respirator is a little basket woven of twisted strands of fine grass. It is placed with its shallow side against the mouth, and a wooden peg, which arises from the center of the basket, is held between the teeth. For this purpose water is evaporated over a big fire in a very low hut, which is tightly closed to keep in the heat. In this stifling atmosphere the employment of a respirator is absolutely necessary.

Various Uses for the Aloe.
In Africa the leaves of certain species of aloe provide material for bowstrings, hammocks, fishing lines and ropes. With the Mohammedans the aloe means much. For instance, those who have returned from a pilgrimage to Mecca hang it over their doors, as a sign that they have made the great journey.

INFLAMMATION AND PAIN

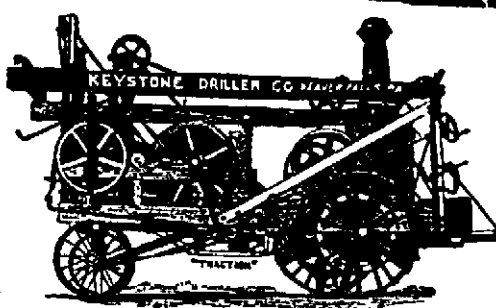
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Creston, Iowa.—"I was troubled for a long time with inflammation, pains in my side, sick headaches and nervousness. I had taken so many medicines that I was discouraged and thought I would never get well. A friend told me of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and it restored me to health. I have no more pain, my nerves are stronger and I can do my own work. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound cured me after everything else had failed, and I recommend it to other suffering women."
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Thousands of unsolicited and genuine testimonials like the above prove the efficiency of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, which is made exclusively from roots and herbs.

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WOULDN'T CHARGE FOR AID GREENE WAS A LUCKY MAN

But Good Samaritan Farmer Would Sell His Team to the Stalled Automobileist.

"Hi, there, mister," said Witherbee, to a passing farmer, as his car stuck in the mud. "What'll you charge me for the use of your team to pull this car out of the mud?"

"Why," returned the farmer, scratching his head in a puzzled sort of fashion, "I'm not the kind of a fellow as would charge a sufferin' feller bein' anything at all for helpin' him out o' trouble."

"That's mighty nice of you," said Witherbee.

"No, sir," said the farmer. "My conscience wouldn't never rest if I done a thing like that. Jest couldn't look my wife or the parson in the face if I took pay for bein' a good Samaritan."

"By George!" said Witherbee, "it does my heart good to hear a man talk that way these days."

"Wa-al, it's been a rule o' mine ever since I was a boy," said the old man. "I wish there were more people like you," said Witherbee.

"Pity there ain't," said the farmer; "but I don't take any pride to myself becuz of it. Giddap!"

"But I say," said Witherbee, "where are you going? You haven't helped me out of the mud yet?"

"Why," said the old man, "you hain't made me any offer."

"What for?" demanded Witherbee.

"For the team," said the farmer. "I can't charge ye nothin' for helpin' ye, but I'll sell ye the hosses for \$50 a head."—Harper's Bazar.

CURIOUS TRAITS OF ANIMALS

Peculiar Habits of Flies, Hens, Mice Snakes and Goldfish, Some of Them Unexplainable.

A fly on a window pane will crawl to the top, fly back to the bottom and crawl up again. This order is seldom reversed. Why, no one knows. It is on record that a fly crawled up a window pane thirty-two times, returning each time a-wing.

Hens scratch for food with the sun behind them, the reason being that the rays reflect on the minute particles. A blind hen will pick grain and not miss a kernel.

Cats seldom lie with their feet to the fire. Usually they lie on the left side. Dogs lie with their fore paws to the fire.

A mouse will ignore a food supply sufficient for a meal and run great risks to nibble at a wholesale supply, says the Milwaukee Sentinel. It will hide at the source of food supply and not depart therefrom until actually disturbed. It isn't true that a mouse runs to a hole at the first alarm.

Find a harmless little snake the length of a lead pencil and provide a box for it in the house, visit it daily, and at the end of three months it will crawl to you for food.

Goldfish usually swim around a globe to the right. They can be taught to take a fly out of the hand in six weeks' time. The presence of other fish in the globe is generally ignored by goldfish. Drop a piece of chip on the surface of the water and it will frighten a fish.

His Last Five Dollar Bill Found in Two Places, and His Conscience Elastic.

"If anybody but Greene had told me this I wouldn't have believed it, and I wouldn't have believed him if it had happened to anybody but Greene," said the man. "The other day Greene lost five dollars. When he got home he began to figure out where he might have lost it. There was a chance every time he took out his pocketbook. He had had his pocketbook in his hand, he remembered, when he left the drug store at One Hundred and Fourth street, and again when he left the florist's at One Hundred and First street.

"In order to expedite the search Greene telephoned the news of his loss to the druggist. The druggist was very accommodating. He promised to put the whole drug store force on the job and to telephone back the result as soon as the premises had been thoroughly searched.

"While waiting for a message from the druggist Greene telephoned to the florist, and received similar assurances of co-operation. In about five minutes the druggist called up. The five dollars had been found lying under the edge of a dry goods box on the pavement and would be handed over to Greene.

"Greene jumped into his coat and grabbed his hat, but before he got to the door the florist telephoned that the five dollars had been found in the ash can just outside his door, and would be held against all comers until Greene called for it. Greene's conscience is of the India rubber variety, so he had no compunctions about collecting the five dollars from both druggist and florist. I'll bet that wouldn't happen to anybody else on earth but Greene."

"SEA FRUIT" IS DELICIOUS

Many Little Shellfish of the Mediterranean of Which the French Make Good Use.

Fruits de mer ("sea fruit"), this is the comprehensive name by which the numerous little shellfish of the Mediterranean are known; the term, affectionate if you will, which the French use in speaking of these contributions of the sea which are at their best in Marseilles and all along the Riviera, over the border into sunny Italy.

Marseilles is the great fish market of southern France and Leghorn of northern Italy, while Naples of course is the center for southern Italy. Along the quays of all three cities an epicure on his rambles will find much of interest and many a new sensation for his palate.

Bouillabaisse, even before it was made famous in literature by Thackeray, was considered the piece de resistance of southern France and maitre de poisson a close second. But for my part the most luscious morsels of the fruits of the blue Mediterranean are the little shellfish which are sold from the booths along the quays or in the open air kitchens where amid odors of garlic and oil, a whiff of the salt air from the sea and of great masses of wet seaweed upon which the shellfish are temptingly arranged make the nostrils dilate even as the sight of the seductive wares tickle the palate and force one to stop and investigate.—Epicure.

A Musical Prodigy.

In 1841 arrived in London a Russian boy, called Antoine Rubinstein, not twelve years old, whose performances on the piano had excited wonder and delight among the musical amateurs. He was equally skilled in the ancient as well as modern style of playing and gave with wonderful effect the most difficult passages of Bach or Thalberg. All this, too, was done with the utmost apparent ease, and in the most difficult passages he frequently indulged himself in grotesque imitations of the peculiar trickeries of the composer upon whose music he was engaged.—The Russian Boy

The Shutter is No More.

A writer describes the forenoon Sunday Strand and Fleet Street as "a shuttered desert," and doubtless he is quite satisfied with the phrase. But is it accurate? How many shuttered windows does he think he would see in these thoroughfares on a Sunday or at any other time when the shops are shut? As a matter of fact the shutter has gone from central London, and is rapidly passing even from the suburbs. At what date did the shutter begin to disappear? It was a fitting of all shops as late as the '80s. The worst of the modern shop shows on Sundays is the blind. And most shops present the week-day temptation with a closed door.—London Chronicle.

Once Was Enough.

"Of course," said the surgeon who had operated for appendicitis, "there will be a scar." "That's all right," replied the patient. "Leave any kind of mark you like that will prevent some strange doctor from coming along and operating again."—Winchester Herald.

Exegesis.

"My dog's nose now is what Mexico has just been."
"How so?"
"He can smell a storm coming up when the sun is shining."
"I don't see the connection."
"Why, isn't his nose a storm scent?"

LIFE PERIODS AND CLOTHES

How a Man's Tastes in Raiment Differ From Youth to Careless Old Age.

It is interesting to follow a man in the matter of his raiment. There are established periods in his life where in his tastes differ, and his ways differ, and from start to finish the matter is one of considerable interest.

When he is under age and at college, his taste runs riot in the matter of clothing. Weird checks, fearful plaids, remarkable cuts of balloon-like pants and box-like coats appeal to him. The matter of a quarter inch in length of a coat concerns him greatly, and he begins to have his pants pressed with four creases in them, pointing to the north, south, east and west.

When he goes to work he carries some of this wonderful raiment with him. It is a link that connects him with glad college days. But the link wears out, and he is busy, and presently you see him in wholly different attire. He is neat enough, but his weird taste has changed.

He now goes in for business suits and is painfully exact in his dress for the evening.

But as he gets along in business he ceases to have his clothing pressed. He marries and his wife keeps after him to put on a clean collar. He has long ceased to wear shoes for looks and has his shoes made to order because he likes 'em to be 4 17-18 inches wide at the toe in order to obtain comfort. He has them shined whenever any event comes along and reminds him of it.

And finally his whole family leap upon him. They call him slouchy, and when he gets a new suit it is a family matter in which the individual views of the family combine, and his own are lost. For it's always that way, and probably always will be.—Galveston News.

High Recommendations.

"Why did you leave your last place?" asked Mrs. Hiram Daly of the would-be cook. "I haven't left me last place," replied the applicant. "I haven't any last place to leave. I've been workin' for meself for the past year, an' I can recommend meself to yez very highly."—Boston Transcript.

Advice to Business Women.

Neither the swelled head nor the despairing heart is of much use to the woman in business. Make good things—as good as or better than other people's—ask a fair price, so that there is a clear profit on materials and time used, and do not lose courage.

Sandy Plains Fair

Millsboro, Pa.

August 8, 9 and 10, 1911

Four Racy Races each day PROGRAMME

WEDNESDAY

No. 1. 2:25 Pace.....\$200
No. 2. 2:25 Trot..... 250
No. 3. Free for All Pace 300
No. 4. Pacers who never started for money 100
No. 5. On half mile dash 75

THURSDAY

No. 1. 2:35 Trot.....\$200
No. 2. 2:18 Pace..... 250
No. 3. Free for All Trot 300
No. 4. Trot for horses never started for money 100
No. 5. One half mile and repeat..... 100

B. Frank Emery, Secretary, Millsboro, Pa.

PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD

SIXTEEN-DAY EXCURSIONS

August 3, 17, and 31, September 14, 1911

\$10 or \$12 to

Atlantic City, Cape May

Wildwood, Anglen, Holly Beach, Ocean City, Sea Isle City, Avalon, Stone Harbor, N. J., Rehoboth, Del., and Ocean City, Md.

\$12 or \$14 to

Asbury Park, Long Branch

West End, Hollywood, Elberon, Deal Beach, Allenhurst, North Asbury Park, Ocean Grove, Bradley Beach, Avon, Belmar, Como, Spring Lake, Sea Girt, Brielle, Point Pleasant, Manasquan, and Bay Head, N. J.

FROM CHARLEROI

Tickets at the lower rate good only in Coaches. Tickets at the higher rate good in Parlor or Sleeping Cars in connection with proper Pullman tickets.

SPECIAL TRAIN OF PARLOR CARS AND COACHES

Leave Pittsburg at 8:55 A. M. and runs through to Atlantic City

Tickets good for passage on special trains and its connections or on trains leaving Pittsburg at 4:55 P. M., 8:35 P. M. (Coaches only) and 8:50 P. M. (Sleeping Cars only), and their connections. For leaving time of trains, stop-over privileges, and full information consult nearest Ticket Agent, or Jas. P. Anderson, D. P. A. Sixth Avenue and Smithfield Street, Pittsburg, Pa.

Read the Mail

The Charleroi Mail's Business Building Bureau

Is Your Business Sick? Do you think you should have more trade? Is there anything worrying you in connection with the growth of your business?

WE HAVE THE REMEDY

We have retained the services locally of the greatest retail and bank advertising expert in this country, Dundas Henderson, and now put his services at your disposal. Write out an account of your whole business troubles freely and frankly and send them to this office. We will pass the letter on to Mr. Henderson and you will receive from him in a few days a solution of your difficulties—the same kind of solution that has made success for thousands of merchants in the same position as yourself.

It may be that a new style of advertising will make a difference in your business.

Possibly a certain kind of advertising folder that has brought success to others is what you need.

A particular method of window dressing may be what will bring you the success you lack.

Special salesmanship that has made success in similar circumstances may be indicated in your business.

Some scheme of a novel kind that will bring the money pouring into your money-drawer is possible.

You competitors may be worrying you and you want a knowledge of the latest method of fighting them.

You may need help in getting in your bad debts—a few hints can be given that have materially helped OTHERS out of trouble.

How to conduct a special sale or sales, may possibly be the shortest way out of your worries.

But Whatever it is, Send the Fullest Particulars of Your Troubles to This Department and Let Dundas Henderson Help You

This May Help You Make a Fortune—Write Today

Further particulars of our offer may be obtained on application to this office. All communications are absolutely confidential. Address

**Manager the MAIL PUBLISHING COMPANY
BUSINESS BUILDING BUREAU
CHARLEROI, PENNA.**

Some More of Those LADIES' FINE HOSE

on Sale. These were brought from one of the Best and Largest Dealers in the County, and are Agents Samples, but first-class and Perfect Goods.

- LOT 1st.

Ladies' fine black, fancy embroidered and lace lisle hose. A large variety of patterns and colors to select from. Special for these regular 50c hose at only.....**29c**
- LOT 2nd.

Ladies' fine quality colored or plain black lisle and silk lisle, black and tans with the newest embroideries. Your choice for these specials at only, per pair**39c**
- LOT 3rd.

Ladies' finest quality black and colors in lisle or silk lisle hose. Also a quantity of the newest embroideries and imported spun silk. Regular kind you pay 75c and more for. Special at, per pair**49c**

"The Big Store" Ask for *J. M. Green Stamps*

Berryman's

Charleroi, Penn'a.

Mall and Phone Orders Promptly Filled

Library for Children.

A library for children is a comparatively new thing in London. A new one in Manresa-road, Chelsea, is a model of its kind. It had its origin in a boys' room, concerning which Carl Cadogan, when he opened it made the fierce joke that "as everyone knows, a boy's room is better than is company." Out of this boys' room grew the children's library, a place of deep silence, where boys and girls meet for the common pursuit of knowledge.

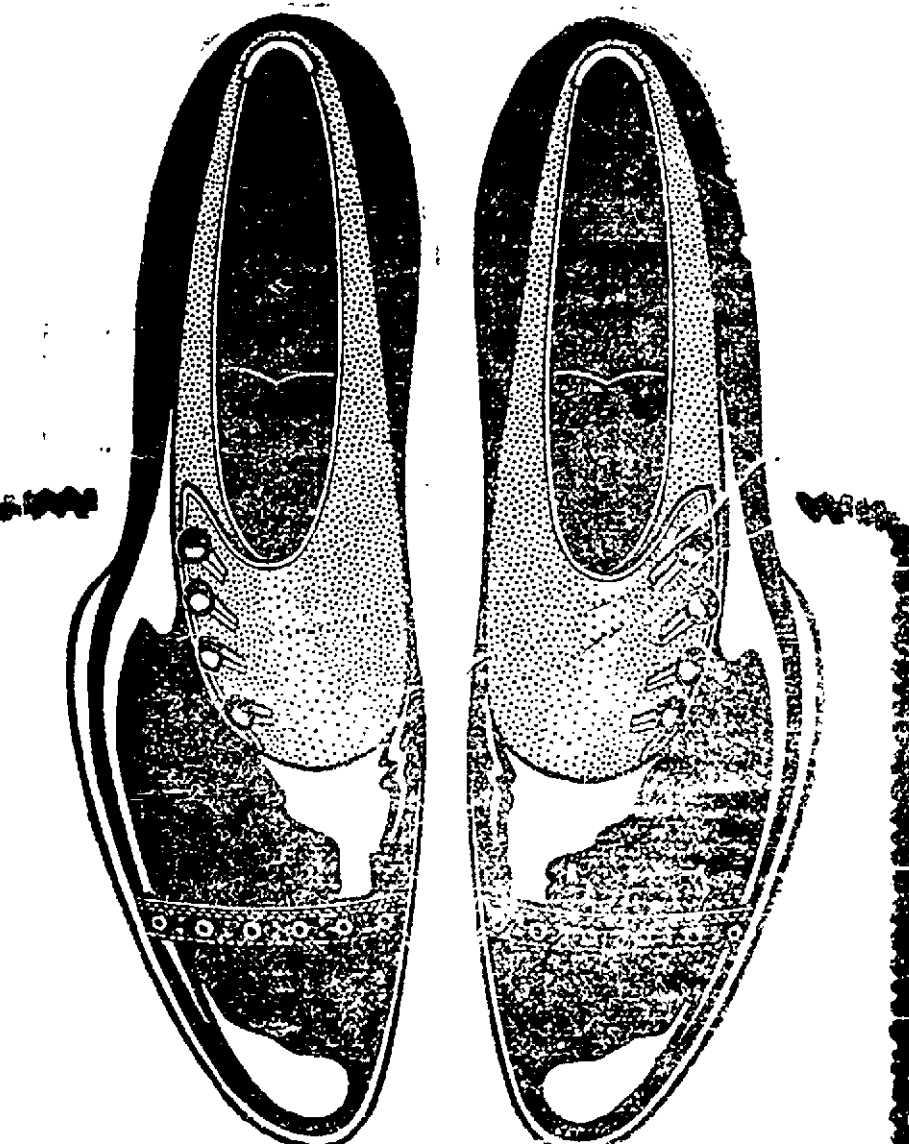
All About the Pig.

A little boy's first composition was about a pig. This is the way he wrote it: "Pigs are very queer animals. The pig has its uses. Our dog don't like pigs. His name is Nero. Our teacher read a piece one day about a wicked king named Nero. I like good men. My papa is an awful good man. Men are very useful. They have a great many uses which I can't stop to tell them all. This is all I can think of about the pig."

SPECIAL for Saturday and Monday

At ADOLPH'S

502 Fallowfield Avenue, Charleroi



565 pairs of Ladies' Oxfords, worth \$2.50 to \$3.50 a pair, special for Saturday

\$1.00 a Pair

315 pr. Men's dull, tan or patent leather 2-eyelet Oxfords worth \$3.00 to \$4.00, special price

\$1.00 a Pair

COME EARLY & AVOID THE RUSH

Adolph Beigel

We Give "S. & H." Green Trading Stamps

CHARLEROI TAKES OVER MONESSEN

Visiting Team Loses to Locals in Second of Series

KIEFER DOES THE HEAVING

By landing on the ball when landing meant runs, the Charleroi Independents defeated the Page team from Monessen Saturday afternoon by the score of 6 to 3. The game was the second of a series between the Independents and the Monessen aggregation. The local ballers carted the first contest away the same as they did the Saturday game. There is another yet to come.

Charleroi did their scoring in the first five innings. Joe Mason was given a walk in the first. He was sacrificed to second and came home on an error. In the next round Deitz was safe on a slip-up of McFall's, went second and third on an error and came home on a single. In the third there was two runs scored on four hits. Kiefer singled. Mathers flied out. Joe Mason singled to left, and Wilson duplicated the feat. Kiefer scored. On Makepeace's single Mason came in.

Newton pulled off a three baser in the fourth first pop out of the box and trotted up the home path when Butz singled. Mathers contracted two bases on a hit in the fifth and went third when Shupe made a mistake. He scored on Makepeace's lacer to right for one base.

The Page team got one in the second. McLaughlin doubled and went third on a passed ball Lamey singled, and McLaughlin came in. McLaughlin started the scoring for Monessen in the ninth again. He singled, Lamey flied out and Jones was safe on a fielder's choice. When McFall singled and Mathers let a ball go without taking the proper precautions to stop it, McLaughlin and Jones scored. Kiefer pitched well throughout. Score:

Charleroi	R. H. P. A. E.
Mathers, m	1 0 1 1
Mason, lf	2 1 2 0 0
Wilson, 1	0 2 9 0 0
Makepeace, c	0 2 5 1 0
Deitz, r	1 0 3 0 0
Newton, 3	1 2 3 0 0
Butz, 2	0 2 1 2 0
Kuhn, s	0 3 4 0
Kiefer, p	1 2 1 5 1
Totals	6 12 27 13 2

Page	R. H. P. A. E.
McFall, s	0 1 1 2 2
Rivers, 1	0 1 2 0 0
Underwood, r-p	0 0 2 1 0
Wolfe, 1	0 1 4 1 0
Doney, c	0 0 6 4 0
Shupe, 3	0 1 0 1 1
McLaughlin, m	2 2 0 0 0
Lamey, 2	0 1 7 1 0
Hogg, p	0 0 0 1
Jones, r	1 1 2 1 0
Totals	3 8 24 11 4

Charleroi.....1 2 1 1 0 0 0 4
Monessen.....0 1 0 0 0 0 0 2

Two base hits—McLaughlin, Rivers, Mathers. Three-base hit—Newton. Sacrifice hits—Rivers, Mason, Wilson, Newton, Kuhn. Stolen bases—Wolfe, Lamey. Double plays—Butz, Kuhn and Wilson; Jones, Doney and Lamey. Bases on balls—Off Kiefer 4, off Hogg 1. Struck out—By Hogg 2, by Underwood 2, by Kiefer 4. Umpire—Daniel and Daily.

Charleroi Church League			
Standing of Clubs			
	W.	L.	Pct.
Lutherans	12	1	.923
Episcopalians	8	5	.616
Catholics	8	5	.616
Christians	7	6	.538
Baptists	6	7	.462
First Pres.	5	8	.384
W. A. Pres.	3	10	.233
Methodists	3	10	.233

Games This Week			
Monday			
Lutherans vs. First Presbyterians			
Tuesday			
W. A. Pres. vs. Christians.			
Thursday			
Methodists vs. Episcopalians			
Friday			
Catholics vs. Baptists			

Couldn't Be Otherwise.

A doctor was called to the bedside of a fond mother's baby boy. He diagnosed the ailment as acute rheumatism and the mother responded quickly: "Acute rheumatism? I might have known it; everything he does or says is just as cute."

BASEBALL BINGLES

Katsy Kiefer showed his fettle on Saturday. He had those Monessenites blinking.

Joe Mason and Eddie Butz don't look as though they were going to quit playing ball very much when they appear in uniforms on the ball lot.

Bert Wilson, of the First Presbyterians occupied the first base corner for the Independents and occupied it with credit both to himself and the team. Moreover Albert got two hits out of three times at bat.

Newton and Mathers were the only Charleroi players to get extra base swats.

Some of those Monessen players, by the way have enthused bigger leagues than the erstwhile Monongahela valley.

Newton stuck to third pan with all the cleverness and ability of an old timer. At the bat he got two out of three hits.

Eddie Butz batted seventh and was there with his ready stick just the same as though he headed the list.

It looked as though the Church League race was going to resolve itself in to a battle for second place.

If the Lutherans could have held off until next Friday for winning the pennant maybe there wouldn't have been some interest.

The chief swatter of the Church League is going to get something this year. Come to think of it, it's a suit of clothes.

If they keep up their work there is no reason why some of these youngsters in the church league should not be doing big time a few years hence.

LOCAL MENTION

Mrs. George Newton and two daughters of McKean avenue, visited in Elrama over Sunday.

A. G. Lewis arrived home from Morgantown, W. Va., Saturday to spend a couple of weeks here.

Christy Roberts, who is employed at Bentleyville as manager of the Bentleyville Ice company's plant was an over Sunday visitor with his parents Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Roberts of Crest avenue and Seventh street.

Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Stewart spent Sunday in Pittsburgh with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Barnett and sons George, Bruce and Frank spent Sunday visiting friends in Homestead.

E. H. Arrison was a Sunday visitor in Connellsville.

Mrs. Charles Bateman spent Sunday in Duquesne visiting relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Richardson were over Sunday visitors with friends in McKeesport.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Greenberg and children have gone to Atlantic City where they will spend several days.

Mr. F. J. John is a Pittsburgh visitor today.

Raymond Kent left Saturday for Brisbane, where he will spend a few days with his mother, Mrs. Mary Kent.

C. E. Cummings was a visitor in West Elizabeth Sunday.

Misses Edith and Agnes Hazlett have returned from a visit at Atlantic City.

Mrs. Joseph Lichter and children have returned from a five weeks' visit in Baltimore.

Miss Minnie Porter is a visitor in Pittsburgh with friends.

H. C. Courtwright of Homestead visited friends in town Sunday.

William H. Sodman of Toledo, O., has arrived in Charleroi for a visit.

James T. Williams left today for Ford City on a business trip.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Whitlatch spent Sunday at I.....port visiting relatives and friends.

Jay Reeves of Fallowfield avenue, spent Sunday in Erie.

William C. Walters chief of the Mail job rooms, began his vacation this morning. He will spend two weeks motorcycling.

Mrs. W. A. Hazlet and daughter Miss Irene of C..... have been guests of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Smith of Seventh street returned home Sunday.

Miss Ina Kline is home from a visit at Chautauqua for a couple of weeks.

Rev. J. T. Hackett, pastor of the First Presbyterian church, will take his vacation during the month of August. With his family he will visit his parents at Philadelphia and take a trip out to Cedarville, N. J., where he formerly occupied a charge. For three Sundays there will be no church service at the First Presbyterian Church.

ENTERTAINMENT COMMITTEE WILL HOLD MEETING

For the purpose of electing permanent officers for the year and to attend to other matters of importance a meeting of the Charleroi Citizens' Entertainment course guarantors will be held Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock at the Borough building. The last season's course was the most successful held in years and there is a good balance with which to start this season's course. The list of attractions will be picked out.

NATIONAL MINE OFFICIALS ATTEND DEMONSTRATION

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somewhat general. He took up matters of the various fields pointing out where conditions could be remedied by a concentration of forces. He was somewhat bitter against Robert Gibbons, who claimed the presidency of District No. 5, but whom the national organization failed to recognize. He said that Gibbons had been invited to come to conventions to explain his position but had turned down the invitation.

President White Applauded.

President White was applauded when he was introduced by Feehan. He plunged at once into the subject matter of his discourse, which was like that of Hayes somewhat general. He covered a lot of points and then narrowed down to a discussion of matters in the Pittsburgh field, where the Irwin strike was terminated recently with a victory for the mine owners. He plead for a solidification of the organization. President White saw fit to pay President Feehan a high tribute, while without mentioning names he derided his opposers and enemies in the district. He said: "It seems to me that if I thought Francis Feehan was not doing things right and was trespassing on his authority as district president, I wouldn't beat around the bush telling people about it and try to fight him through a separate organization. I would stay right in the organization and I would oust Feehan or know the reason why. But Feehan's enemies are not doing that. They are only trying to injure him. Fortunately they are accomplishing nothing."

Two foreign organizers gave talks to foreign miners who were present. The celebration ended in the evening with a dance.

MARY STUART'S BLACK PEARL

Story of Accidental Recovery of the Scottish Queen's Necklace in a Little Shop.

A remarkable story appears in a Paris contemporary of the discovery of the black pearl leeklace of Mary Queen of Scots, which disappeared on February 8, 1587. We give the story as we find it.

A lady cyclist had a mishap with the cord of her pince-nez while touring in an obscure town in Scotland. The lady pulled up at the general shop and tried to replace the cord. The shopkeeper, not having a suitable cord, told the lady he would take the wire from an old necklace which he showed her.

She, being struck with it, said she would buy it at the price asked—12s. 6d.—and so as best she could for a cord. On reaching her lodgings the lady cleared the pearls and was struck with their beauty.

The lady's next procedure was to submit the necklace to an expert jeweler, who pronounced the pearls to be of very great value, and the Paris contemporary from which we have taken the story says they are worth at least £15,000, adding that on the day of the execution the unfortunate queen of Scotland divided among her women who attended, her ornaments and jewels, including the necklace of black pearls. How it passed into the hands of her ancestors of the shopkeeper is a mystery.

Really Essential.

A quiet little girl, aged six, was taken to a hospital for a view of life. She was carried to mother's room to make the acquaintance of the eleventh arrival, a brother. Her attention was called to the beauty of this gift from God. She looked earnestly at the object of praise, trying to see the bright side of the situation, then said, "He is very nice but we did not really need him."

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STEEL SPECKS IN THE FLOUR

Man of Science Announces Gravely That This Is One of the Causes of Appendicitis.

Dr. Edred M. Conner of London, alleges that appendicitis is due to white flour. Steel from the mill rollers gets into the flour. We eat this minute steel and as it goes round the bend it shunts off on the blind side. In time it stacks up like a culm heap and irritation ensues.

A good part of the steel is absorbed, to be sure. That explains why it is not found in any of the cases operated on. But the point is, no doubt, that more than the 10-penny nail of iron allowed to each mortal is taken in and the body's magnetic equilibrium is thereby upset. The man who invented graham bread died of indigestion, but if he had drawn a magnet through it before baking he would have removed the steel particles and might have lived forever.

The wise cook today will buy a small magnet and thoroughly stir her flour with it before putting in the water and yeast. Let her wipe off the magnet every little while. The black specks that adhere are tiny bits of steel. Bread made in this way may be eaten without fear of appendicitis.

Love All.

There is no usin to a man's heart like love, not only the love others feel towards him, but that he feels towards others. Be in love with all things, not only with your fellows, but with the whole world, with every creature that walks the earth, with the birds in the air, with the insects in the grass.—H. Fiddling Hall

The Difficulty.

The First Worker—Manner born be blowed! D'joo mean ter say if me an' you come into a bit o' splash we couldn't keep our ends up with these ere dooks and people?"

His Doubting Friend—Oh, we should be orlight; but our missuses'd give the game away, yer know.—The Sketch

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NATIONAL MINE OFFICIALS ATTEND DEMONSTRATION OF LOCAL MINERS

President John P. White, of Iowa is Principal Speaker at Saturday Celebration

YS TRIBUTE TO FEEHAN

ys Local Leader is Man Well Qualified for Position
ie Holds--Enemies Take to Round About Meth...

ne of the biggest demonstrations in years by miners of this sec- was enjoyed Saturday at El- Park, when the annual out- ing sub-district No. 3, of District No. United Mine Workers was held re were between 6,000 and 7,000 rs present, conservatively est- ed with their families. The af- began with a parade at Monon- sla in the morning. Special is were run to that place from ts on the Ellsworth branch. n Monongahela the line of par- was through Black Diamond and o the park. Charles Pritchard of d, was the chief marshal. Five is furnished music and there about 5,000 marchers.

mes closed down for the day and having been disbursed on Fri- to afford the miners full oppor- ty for best enjoyment of the af- miners and their families had yous time. The morning was t in regular picnic fashion and on a picnic dinner was served. ogram of sports proved interest-

Feehan the Chairman.

the afternoon the chief feature speaking. John P. White, who eded T. L. Lewis, as national dent was the chief attraction- le had not heard him in this n before and he proved a big ing card. Francis Feehan, the dent of District No. 5 was man of the meeting. He open- with a few remarks about con- is in this district, and said that ugh the fight had been decid- ist the miners of the Irwin field fight would still be maintained. was roundly applauded. The speaker was Coroner James T. an of Speers. Coroner Heffran of the great loss of life in , and said that mining legisla- was needed as a preventative aid that each miner should be elled to hold a certificate of stency before he should be id to do expert work in the

District Attorney Speaks.

L. V. Acheson, district attorney ashington county, was the sec- speaker. Mr. Acheson spoke of bor movement and its relation ciety. He spoke of the labor- lement as one of the greatest ts to society.

ional Secretary Edwin Perry hat there was a big member- n the miner's organization now, ere was plenty of room for se. He spoke at some length e conditions in the Pittsburg t and said that with the pres- ided forces little good could

"Concentrate" Advises Hayes

e President Hayes' talk was

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MILK SAMPLES ALL FOUND TO BE GOOD

Charleroi People Can Feel Entirely Safe in Drink- ing Lacteal Fluid Sold by Any Milk Dealer

Charleroi people can feel safe in using all the milk they can pay for, according to John Jenkins, Special Agent of the Dairy and Food Division of Pennsylvania for it is all good. Several days ago samples of milk was taken by Special Agent Jenkins and sent to Prof. F. G. Aschman, State chemist. He has just received back the report, saying that all the samples taken were good. In fact

the milk is considerably above par. Samples were taken from all re- tailers and wholesalers who sold milk in Charleroi. Not in a single instance was there any milk secured which did not contain the necessary amount of butter fat or solids. There must be 3 1-4 per cent of butter fat contained in the milk and all the samples taken here contained more than that.

WILL HOLD OUTING AT CASCADE PARK

California Business Men and Citizens Will Take Excur- sion Tuesday

California business men and citi- zens will hold their annual excursion and outing on Tuesday at Cascade Park and people from var- ious towns along the valley are plan- ning to attend. A special train will leave Brownsville in the morning and make stops at every town between there and Monessen, the big load of course to be taken on at California. Committees have arranged every de- tail and indications are for one of the most successful outings ever held by the California merchants.

SMALL CHILD IS FOUND ROAMING IN DENSE THICKET

Wandering aimlessly and without the least knowledge which way to go, a little foreign girl about 4 years old was found in the thickets along Ma- ple Creek between Speers and Charle- rois Sunday afternoon at about 3 o'clock. The child had evidently been lost for some time. It was taken to the home of Mrs. Edwin Ma- jor, on First street and Fallowfield avenue and the police notified.

Meanwhile the parents, foreign people living on Lincoln avenue, near Seventh street were conducting a search for the little one. It was finally returned to them at about 6 o'clock.

Misses Price and Blanche Frye have returned from Lake Chautauqua where they spent some weeks.

Special attraction at the Star Thea- tre this week, Freddie Lindauer, the wonderful pianist. See the two great pictures Thursday, "Greater Love Hath no Man," and "Lorna Doone"

To Secure Tickets.

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DIES ON EVE OF BIRTHDAY

Mrs. Moore Expires Just One Hour Before 70th Anni- versary of Birth

On the eve of her 70th birthday Mrs. Mary A. Moore, a well known citi- zen of Charleroi, died Sunday night at 11 o'clock at her home 735 Fallow- field avenue. Had she lived one hour longer she would have lived until the 54th anniversary of her first mar- riage, as well as the 70th anniversary of her birth.

Three daughters and one son sur- vive. They are: Mrs. Frank Yohe, Sr. of Monongahela; Mrs. Albert Eckles and Mrs. Scott McFeeley of Charleroi, and John Wilson of Char- leroi.

Funeral services will be conducted at the home. The interment will be in the Ginger Hill cemetery.

FOUND DEAD ALONG RAILROAD TRACKS

Man's Body Found Near Spot Where He Was Hit Once Before

At almost exactly the same spot on the P. V. & C railroad in Minco, where two years ago he was badly in- jured by being struck by a train, the body of James Williams, aged 42, a well known miner of Courtney, was picked up Saturday with life extinct.

It is supposed that Williams came to his death by being struck by a train during the night while walking along the tracks. His widow and four children survive

DONORA BAPTISTS START A CHURCH

The Baptist denomination of Don- ora, has organized a church. Ar- rangements are being made to em- ploy a pastor. The church started very auspiciously with twenty char- ter members and many others who wish to come in.

Returns From Convention.

Dr. and Mrs. C. C. Wright have re- turned from Chicago, Ill., where the former attended the national con- vention of osteopaths. Dr. Wright is the president of the Western Penn- sylvania Osteopathic association and attended as a delegate from this State. Dr. and Mrs. Wright also visited at Winona Lake and while there heard Rev. Billy Sunday, the evangelist, as well as other noted speakers.

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LANDMARK DESTROYED BY FLAMES

Old Log House at Gib- sonton Burned to the Ground

NEARLY 100 YEARS OLD

An old log house at Gibsonton, erected when most of the country hereabouts was a wilderness, was burned to the ground Sunday after- noon, and much of the household goods belonging to Wm. Fritz, the oc- cupant, was destroyed. The fire was of unknown origin.

When flames were discovered at the north end of the dwelling an alarm was turned in and the North Belle Vernon fire department hast- ened to the scene. There were no nose connections and a bucket brigade was formed. The old log house, dry as tinder, burned rapidly and the best that could be done was to get some of the furniture out. The Fritz peo- ple were away.

The building which was an old land mark was owned by the Gib- sonton Distilling company. It was built between 70 and 100 years ago by Jacob Lions, father of John Lions, now a well known resident of Ros- traver township and has stood ever since.

POPULAR YOUNG COUPLE MARRIED IN WEST VIRGINIA

Querly going to New Cumberland, W. Va. and to a minister's house there Miss Edith May Devore, the popu- lar daughter of Contractor A. L. Devore, of Monongahela and Joseph A. Ballard, pianist for Wheeler's or- chestra were married on last Friday. Returning they announced their mar- riage today.

Mr. Ballard is a sergeant of Com- pany H, Eighteenth regiment, N. G. P., and was at the campment at Indiana last week. Securing a fur- loch from his company on Thurs- day evening he came to Pittsburg and meeting his bride-to-be, proceeded unknown to friends to New Cum- berland to be wedded.

Mrs. Ballard is a popular young woman of Monongahela. She is also quite well known in Charleroi. Mr. Ballard has been here only since the opening of the Eldora Park season, but during that time he has culti- vated many acquaintances. Tempora- rily the couple will remain here, but this winter they will take up their residence in Pittsburg

JIMMY VALENTINE AT ELDORA PARK

Elusive Chap and His Pal Are Both Captured After Long Search

The presence of the noted Jimmy Valentine and his pal at Eldora Park attracted many to that pleasure re- sort on Sunday and eager search was conducted for the elusive couple. The search ended in Jimmy's dis- covery Sunday night about 9 o'clock when he was cornered by Frank Porter, of near Finleyville. Jimmy was captured near the station, and for his trouble Porter was given \$10. F. Hosing, of Charleroi was success- ful in discovering Jimmy's pal in the afternoon at about 4:30 o'clock. He was given \$5.

Sunday was a nice day to spend at the park the warm weather making the shade of the trees very desirable

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WILL URGE SUNDAY TO CONDUCT CAMPAIGN HERE

Found Lying Across Track

Tired Man Goes to Sleep in Most Convenient Place, the Middle of Street

Lying across the car track, sleep- ing the sleep of the utterly weary— weary from over indulgence in bilge water—a man was arrested Sunday morning early near Eleventh street on McKean avenue. He was taken to the lockup and allowed to com- plete his rest there. Later he was taken before Burgess Risbeck and given some sound advice. Three ar- rests were made by the police on Sat- urday and one on Sunday

ONE KILLED IN ACCIDENT

Automobile Containing Five Persons Struck by Car

One was killed and three others seriously injured when a Pittsburg- Charleroi car struck an automobile at Logan's Crossing near Library, Sunday afternoon.

THE DEAD.
George Brenneman, aged 34 a Pittsburg theatre man. Hips crushed and injured internally. Died at the Southside hospital

THE INJURED.
Edgar Brenneman, aged 7, son of George Brenneman, cut about the face, head and body. Taken to his home, 221 Boggs avenue, Mount Washington.

Mrs. Grace Brenneman, aged 25, wife of George Brenneman, cut and bruised about the face, head and body, and suffering greatly from shock. Taken to the Brenneman home.

Mrs. Minnie Baker, aged 45, mother of Mr. Brenneman, severely cut and bruised about the face head and body; also suffering from shock. Taken to the Brenneman home.

The Brenneman's with George Brenneman at the wheel were out for a trip through rural districts near- ing what is known as Ford's Stop, on the Charleroi line the machine was being driven at a rapid speed. Brenneman, at the wheel, did not notice the approach of the car. When he attempted to drive the au- to across the tracks the big car crashed into the machine, hurling it more than 60 feet to the side of the road.

Brenneman and his young son occupied the front seat and it was this part of the machine that was struck. Brenneman and the boy were thrown fully 50 feet to the side of the track. The women and automobile landed in a heap further down the track. Brenneman was picked up unconscious and placed on board the car with his son, who was not so badly injured. The women were buried beneath the wrecked machine and the passengers soon ex- tricated them and placed them also on the car. Brenneman was rushed to the hospital while the others were taken home. The machine is a total wreck.

Representatives From Three Towns Hold Meeting

UNANIMOUS ACTION TAKEN

Plans to be Formulated for Evangelistic Services at Future Meeting

Unanimous action was taken by ministers and laymen from Charle- rois, Belle Vernon and Monessen churches Sunday afternoon at a meet- ing held in the First Presbyterian church, Charleroi, to secure the ser- vices of Rev. "Billy" Sunday, the noted evangelist for an evangelistic cam- paign which it is planned to hold in this valley. No definite arrangements were made, however, and a meet- ing will be held on August 20 in Charleroi, at which time church work- ers from towns between Fayette City and Donora will be present. Committees will be appointed then to perfect arrangements.

It is not known when Sunday has an open date, or when he can ar- range to come. But it is the inten- tion to secure him if possible before two years. No other name was mentioned at the meeting Sunday as a suitable person for conducting the evangelistic campaign on the large scale desired.

To secure Rev. Sunday it will be necessary to erect a tabernacle. This matter will be taken up after it is learned just when the evangelist will come. A special committee will be appointed to look after this mat- ter and also a committee will be ap- pointed to confer with the evangelist to ascertain the earliest possible date that he can give.

A committee from Monessen com- posed of ministers and laymen inter- viewed Rev. Sunday last spring about coming here and he showed consid- erable interest but could give no definite answer as to a date. He comes to McKeesport this fall.

According to one of the leading lo- cal spirits in the movement to se- cure Sunday, it will take about eight months at the least to prepare. Noth- ing definite can be done until after the meeting on August 20 when it will be learned just what churches will join in the movement. The Adult Federated Classes of Charleroi, and the Charleroi Ministerial association are the leaders in the plan to secure Sunday.

Lawn Fete

The lawn fete held Saturday even- ing by Mrs. John Maires, Miss Anna Barrett and Miss Rose Rogan, on the Eaulas lot on McKean avenue, was a fine success socially and financially. A large number of people were serv- ed. The grounds presented a very picturesque appearance. The pro- ceeds will go towards a fund the L. C. B. A. is creating for St. Jeromes new church.

Notice of Meeting.

The regular monthly meeting of the Charleroi Fire Department will be held in their meeting room on Tuesday evening August 1, 1911 at 8 p. m.

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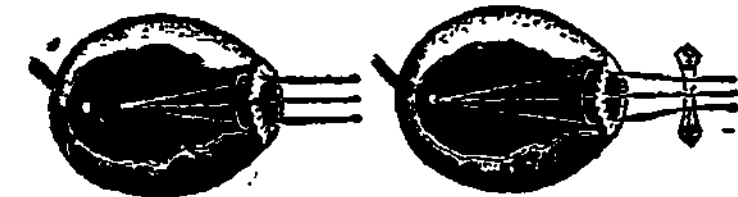
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July 30 in American History.

1789—Ticonderoga, N. Y., invested and taken by the British under Amherst.

1876—General George Edward Pickett, leader of the memorable charge at Gettysburg, died, born 1825.

1906—First joint meeting of army and navy general board held at Washington.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

(From noon today to noon tomorrow.)
Sun sets 7:13, rises 4:51, moon sets 10:13 p. m.; sun's declination today, 23 degrees 31 minutes north of celestial equator.

July 31 in American History.

1876—Andrew Johnson, vice president, who became president upon the death of Lincoln, died; born 1808.

1900—John Clark Ridpath, author and historian, died; born 1841.

1910—John G. Carlisle, Kentucky statesman and secretary of the treasury under President Cleveland, died, born 1835. President Taft said there could be no lawful objection to statue of General Robert E. Lee in Confederate uniform in statutory hall of national capitol.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

(From noon today to noon tomorrow.)
Sun sets 7:12, rises 4:52, moon sets 10:24 p. m.; moon's age, 6 days.

JUST PLAYING POLITICS

Politics is just now running riot in the United States congress. The best interests of the country at large have been forced aside with a view to promoting Presidential ambitions. The regular Republicans are having precious little to say in the work. They are suppressed. The insurgents or Progressives and the Democrats are in command. Occasionally these political elements unite and accomplish something that for the instant promotes the purposes of one or other of the many Presidential possibilities, but as a general rule they spend the time fighting.

They are simply sparring for time and position and all at the expense of the people. The Progressives are determined that La Follette shall be the candidate for the Presidency and are busy bringing grist to his mill. The Democrats are just as determined that Mr. Underwood, or Speaker Clark shall be the candidate to succeed Mr. Taft. In the meantime the fight between these elements goes on with much bitterness.

Senator Boies Penrose, the accepted leader of the regular Republicans in the Senate, has announced that the interests of the whole people may be better served by an early adjournment of Congress. He contends that no matter what bills are ground out through the selfish combination of the Democratic and Progressives the Senate will not pass them. If Senator Penrose is able to force his judgment upon the warring factions Congress will adjourn finally within 10 days.

SCHOOL TRAINING.

All over the United States a movement is on for the broader practical training of the child in school, says the Kane Leader. The claim is that the vast majority of children need practical instruction to meet the demand their lives will make on them for practical effort.

To meet such demands the new movement would have the girls made familiar with household economies and the boys with something likely to be a help in the world's work.

It is all right for a girl to know how to figure compound interest and the extraction of the square root, but it is just as useful to her to figure on the nutrition ratios of food as to put in the time on ratios as an abstract factor.

Cooking is just as much of a science as arithmetic is, and the chemistry of cooking and of nourishing the human system is as much of a chemical study as the organic or inorganic manifestations laid down in the ordinary text books.

Sentiment and tradition have bound the school course down to a theoretical side, and barred the practical side, even though the practical side affords just as much of the mental training as the theoretical dose. Boys and girls need to learn things and to learn the things that can be applied to daily work.

If it comes to a test between the theoretical and the practical the practical should be given the way every time, for every child needs practical instruction. But practical is not conflicting with theoretical, it is merely applying the theoretical, and therefore broadening it. Our schools all need broadening on this direction.

ELECTRIC SPARKS

Work is a handy thing to let alone, if you can.

Oh, hang it, why can't they quit talking reciprocity a little while now and let us rest.

If Congress and people generally keep speculating as long about this reciprocity business as they did about Schedule K, the insane asylums will have to enlarge their buildings.

Uh huh! They are going to probe the money trust.

Still, it is possible that LaFollette is not so much to blame for his pompadour.

The Congressional Record is a mighty good paper but it couldn't get much of a circulation depending upon street sales.

One advantage of having poor teeth is that with them you don't have to worry about roasting ears.

The Rivers and Harbors Committee of Congress certainly had sufficient argument presented as to why the Ohio should be provided with a nine-foot stage. Moreover it was presented in a way that they couldn't well overlook.

Wheel Dentists have discovered that all a homely person has to do to become pretty is to have their dental area beautified.

It might be well to notify Dr. Osler that the most successful men are most successful after they get 40 years old.

The man who can fly an airship may be a hero but he's not in it with the big baseball players nowadays.

Vacation Idles.
We've got two weeks' vacation and our clothes are in the grip. And all we now require is the money for the trip.

A company has been formed to teach the bible to "ministers and others." It might be added; principally to "others."

A maiden there was, very sweet. Her figure was covey and neat; But when you looked down You learned with a frown, She'd inherited her father's big feet.

PICKED UP IN PASSING

Here is a good one about Connie Mack, who was seeking the cause for a losing slump of his baseball team—earlier in the season. The great manager doped out a reason, and it

is the most unique excuse ever offered for losing baseball games, but Connie is absolutely honest about it. "I have the best team in the world," said Connie, "but the trouble is that I have too many bridegrooms on it. My recently married men get on the field, their brides sit in the grandstand and the men are so anxious to please they just forget what they know of the game."

"And the worst of it all," continued Connie, "is that I am a bridegroom myself, so what on earth am I going to do about it?"

That disputes between nations should be settled by an umpire as disputes between rival American baseball teams are settled, was the keynote of an address delivered by Baron d'Estournelles de Constant the French statesman, before the students of the University of Minnesota the other day.

Baron de Constant spoke of the wastefulness and destructiveness of war.

"You have your great American baseball," the baron said. "When you have troubles and disputes you do not start boxing with each other."

Though sometimes they almost end in fights, self-control and discipline prevail and the matter is settled. Why not do the same in war?"

LIVE UNDER THE SAME ROOF

Then, and Not Until Then, Will You Become Really Acquainted With Your Friends.

Two households may stand side by side on the same street two families live within halting distance of one another for years in the same community, and yet have opposite tastes, sentiments and convictions. The children of each growing up together may marry and until they reach the period of new adjustment, never suspect how antagonistic has been their early training. This is one reason why the first year of marriage is so beset with briars and thorns. Everybody knows that until people actually dwell under the same roof they do not mutually become acquainted. A single week spent with a friend at a house party does more to promote intimacy or in difference than years of superficial social intercourse.

The touch-and-go meetings incidental to teas and receptions are the merest suggestions of personality but when one sits day after day beside the fire or at the table with a neighbor, each ceasing to be on guard, real understanding begins. Even correspondence which to a degree is in the nature of revelation, does not make people so well acquainted and is by no means so true a test of disposition and temperament as the test of living together. During courtship and betrothal an engaged pair are on probation. Without effort each displays qualities of charm that cannot fail to be attractive. The most ordinary speech has a flavor of compliment. The future husband and wife are walking through a land of dreams. Shall the dreams come true? They surely will if on both sides there are fixed principles of honor, justice and fidelity—Mrs. Sangster in Woman's Home Companion.

HE WROTE THE GREAT PLAY

Friends Praised It, Famous Manager Took It to Read—and Then He Woke Up.

"My friends had always insisted that I could write a great play," said Jordan. "If I would only set my hand to the task. Well, to be frank, I had long cherished the idea myself that I possessed the ability to do something worth while in the way of providing material for the stage. Like so many of my fellow laborers in the journalistic field, however, I found it exceedingly difficult to secure the time which was necessary for the production of a drama. The best I could do was to steal an hour now and then to devote to the great work. This I did faithfully and zealously, and, after two years of study and earnest endeavor my play began to near completion."

"My friends were enthusiastic. I had been fortunate enough to hit upon an entirely new plot, and, if I may say so, I had handled it admirably. Each of the four acts was filled with thrilling situations, the comedy was subtle and insinuating, the pathos was genuine and the interest was splendidly sustained. Having administered the finishing touches, I took my play to a great producing manager. He had an office in a large building on Broadway.

"With my play done up in a neat package I entered the ante-room, where a young man greeted me respectfully and admitted that the great manager was not out of the city. In fact, the young man consented to take my card into his employer. I had waited only a minute or two when the young man returned and graciously conducted me to the manager, who cordially shook hands with me and said that he would be glad to personally read my play and consider it strictly on its merits."

MISS DOROTHY IS "COMMON"

Her Friendliness Was the Kind That Made People Feel at Home With Her.

When people asked Mrs. Hobart which of the two Lombards she liked the better, she was always prompt to reply, "I like em both first-rate, but Miss Dorothy's my favorite, because she's so common. Miss Mary is different."

"Common!" echoed the summer boarder to whom Mrs. Hobart first made this statement. "What do you mean?"

"Why, I mean common," repeated Mrs. Hobart with firmness, "like folks. What else does common mean, I'd be glad to know? One day they came to see me together, and I hadn't more'n sat down with 'em before I heard something on the stove sizzling the way they do when they've got all but to the top and are just about ready to surge over. I said, 'Excuse me a minute, and ran for I don't let things boil over on my stove, not if 'twas kings and queens in the sitting room.'"

"When I came back they sat here, looking pretty as roses, both of 'em. And Miss Mary said, in that sweet voice of hers gazing out over the benighted, 'What a pleasant view you have, Mrs. Hobart?'"

"Now that was just so," said the summer boarder, for the window she'd chosen didn't command any view beyond the hen yard but the barn. But Miss Dorothy, bless her little heart, looked right at me with her eyes all twinkly, and she said, 'O, I hope it didn't boil over, Mrs. Hobart, and I felt at home with her right off.'—Youth's Companion.

The Royal Oak.

The actual tree into which Charles vanished was hacked to pieces within a few years by relic hunters, and the present royal oak at Boscombe is merely a descendant. A salver made from the original royal oak is still possessed by Oxford university, and countless chairs, tables, altars, picture frames and snuff boxes claim to be made out of the same sacred material. Charles II intended to commemorate his escape at Boscombe by establishing a new order of "Knights of the Royal Oak," but thought best "not to keep awake amusements." The name of the "Royal Oak" has been preserved in the navy since 1664. The first ship to bear this historic name met with an ignominious fate, being burned by the Dutch when they came up the Medway in 1667. Oak Apple day, now little observed except by school boys, was formerly a great anniversary and for long after the Restoration a Royal Oak was invariably figured in all civic pageants.—Westminster Gazette.

An Immense Flower.

The largest of all the flowers of the world is said to be the Rafflesia, a native of Sumatra, so called after Sir Stamford Raffles. This immense flower is composed of five round petals of a brickish color, each measuring a foot across. These are covered with numerous irregular yellowish white swellings.

The petals surround a cup nearly a foot wide, the margin of which bears the stamens. The cup of the Rafflesia is filled with a fleshy disk, the upper surface of which is covered with projections like miniature cow's horns. The cup, when free from its contents will hold about twelve pints. The flower weighs about fifteen pounds and is very thick, the petals being three-quarters of an inch—Scientific American.

Don't Want 'Em Back

An economical young man who was much bored by the requests of tickle young women to return their photographs decided upon desperate measures to put a stop to the unnecessary expenditure of time and postage. He announced his intention of starting a Venus collection to contain the pictures of the 100 most beautiful women in the world, and now the girls never ask for their pictures.

No Need for Flattery.

Mrs. Flynn—"Phwat a charmin' child!" Mrs. Kelly—"Tis Mrs. Casey's Olm holdin' ut for her while she buys a hat." Mrs. Flynn—"Phwat a homely little brute ut is!"—Puck.

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Dinner Late Again

Children late for school—Husband late for work. Everything twisted. All because the clock went wrong.

Don't tinker with it, bring it to the clock hospital. We will diagnose its case in a short time.

Watch and Jewelry repairing. All work guaranteed for two years.

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POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS.

For County Commissioner
JOHN J. CAIRNS,
ROSCOE, PA.
Primaries, Sept. 30, 1911.

For Register of Wills
BOYD PARSHALL
WASHINGTON, PA.
Primaries Sept. 30, 1911.

For Register of Wills,
FRANK B. WICKERHAM
MONONGAHELA, PA.
Primaries Sept. 30, 1911.

For County Treasurer
HOMER H. SPRIGGS
EAST WASHINGTON
Formerly of West Bethlehem Township
Subject to Republican Rules
Primaries September 30, 1911
Your Vote and Influence Solicited

For Register
Loren F. Hopkins
CENTERVILLE, PA.
Primaries Sept. 30, 1911
Subject to Republican Rules

For Clerk of Courts
W. S. LOCKHART
MC DONALD, PENNA.
SUBJECT TO REPUBLICAN RULES
YOUR SUPPORT SOLICITED

For County Treasurer
C. S. Ritchie
NORTH FRANKLIN
Primaries Sept. 30, 1911
According to Rules of Republican Party

Hungry Boy.
Mercy on us hungry boy, what a blessing you enjoy with your sturdy little 'um always eager for a crumb. What a privilege is yours, taking care of apple cores, carbohydrates, starches, pie, anything a fire can fry, any protoid at all, so they make it in a ball, in a dumpling or a cake such as mother used to make. May your stomach give you joy! I was once a hungry boy.

Consequently, little man, do your feeding while you can. Eat your fill and sleep your sleep while your apparatus keeps smooth and working and your dreams, continues the St. Louis Post-Dispatch, are not frazzled at the seams. Not for long is that great joy, so go to it, hungry boy.

Leaving a Piano Open.
It is best to close the piano as soon as you have finished playing, both on account of the dust and the variations of the atmosphere. The keyboard should be kept scrupulously clean. Alcohol or diluted ammonia may be used for this purpose with advantage.

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PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD

Niagara Falls

AND RETURN

Saturday, August 12, 1911

EXCURSION TICKETS good to return on regular trains until August 18, inclusive, will be sold at the following low rates

Regular trains leave	Yates	Courtois	Regular trains leave	Yates
Redstone Jc	7:45, 5:55, 8:15	7:45, 11:05, 5:55, 8:15	7:45, 11:05, 5:55, 8:15	7:45, 11:05, 5:55, 8:15
Smock	5:15, 7:25, 8:15	7:45, 11:05, 5:55, 8:15	7:45, 11:05, 5:55, 8:15	7:45, 11:05, 5:55, 8:15
W. Brownsville	6:32, 8:42, 8:15	7:45, 11:05, 5:55, 8:15	7:45, 11:05, 5:55, 8:15	7:45, 11:05, 5:55, 8:15
Brownsville	9:38, 7:45, 8:15	7:45, 11:05, 5:55, 8:15	7:45, 11:05, 5:55, 8:15	7:45, 11:05, 5:55, 8:15
California	6:44, 10:10, 7:55, 8:15	7:45, 11:05, 5:55, 8:15	7:45, 11:05, 5:55, 8:15	7:45, 11:05, 5:55, 8:15
Coal Centre	6:47, 10:13, 8:05, 8:15	7:45, 11:05, 5:55, 8:15	7:45, 11:05, 5:55, 8:15	7:45, 11:05, 5:55, 8:15
Roscoe	6:52, 10:18, 8:05, 8:15	7:45, 11:05, 5:55, 8:15	7:45, 11:05, 5:55, 8:15	7:45, 11:05, 5:55, 8:15
Allenport	6:57, 10:25, 8:14, 8:15	7:45, 11:05, 5:55, 8:15	7:45, 11:05, 5:55, 8:15	7:45, 11:05, 5:55, 8:15
Belle Vernon	7:02, 10:30, 8:19, 8:15	7:45, 11:05, 5:55, 8:15	7:45, 11:05, 5:55, 8:15	7:45, 11:05, 5:55, 8:15
Charleroi	7:06, 10:34, 8:23, 8:15	7:45, 11:05, 5:55, 8:15	7:45, 11:05, 5:55, 8:15	7:45, 11:05, 5:55, 8:15
Munhall	7:10, 10:38, 8:27, 8:15	7:45, 11:05, 5:55, 8:15	7:45, 11:05, 5:55, 8:15	7:45, 11:05, 5:55, 8:15
Hampton	7:14, 10:42, 8:31, 8:15	7:45, 11:05, 5:55, 8:15	7:45, 11:05, 5:55, 8:15	7:45, 11:05, 5:55, 8:15
Union Deposit	7:18, 10:46, 8:35, 8:15	7:45, 11:05, 5:55, 8:15	7:45, 11:05, 5:55, 8:15	7:45, 11:05, 5:55, 8:15
Monong. City	7:22, 10:50, 8:39, 8:15	7:45, 11:05, 5:55, 8:15	7:45, 11:05, 5:55, 8:15	7:45, 11:05, 5:55, 8:15

Passengers change at PITTSBURG to regular trains leaving Union Station 9.00 a. m., 1.10 p. m. and 10.45 p. m.

ELECTRIC RAILWAY FROM THE FALLS TO THE WHIRLPOOL

A Good Recommendation

The conservative methods of this bank and its record of nearly 13 years of successful banking, as well as the courteous treatment you will receive to make all your relations with this institution satisfactory and pleasant, are our best recommendation.

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206 Fourth St. Charleroi, Pa.

Go After Business

In a business way—the advertising way. An ad in this paper offers the maximum service at the minimum cost. It reaches the people of the town and vicinity you want to reach.

Try It—It Pays

An Eskimo's Dwelling.
We do not look for any great amount of inventive genius among the Eskimos, but for years they have employed a rather complete respirator, used in the preparation and taking of a vapor bath, as a means of protection from the dense smoke. This recent man respirator is a little basket woven of twisted strands of fine grass. It is placed with its shallow side against the mouth, and a wooden peg, which arises from the center of the basket, is held between the teeth. For this purpose water is evaporated over a big fire in a very low hut, which is tightly closed to keep in the heat. In this stifling atmosphere the employment of a respirator is absolutely necessary.

Various Uses for the Aloe.
In Africa the leaves of certain species of aloe provide material for bowstrings, hammocks, fishing lines and ropes. With the Mohammedans the aloe means much. For instance, those who have returned from a pilgrimage to Mecca hang it over their doors, as a sign that they have made the great journey.

INFLAMMATION AND PAIN

Cured by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Creston, Iowa.—"I was troubled for a long time with inflammation, pointing in my side, sickness, headaches and nervousness. I had taken so many medicines that I was discouraged and thought I would never get well. A friend told me of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and it restored me to health. I have no more pain, my nerves are stronger and I can do my own work. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound cured me after everything else had failed, and I recommend it to other suffering women."—Mrs. Wm. Seals, 605 W. Howard St., Creston, Iowa.

Thousands of unsolicited and genuine testimonials like the above prove the efficiency of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, which is made exclusively from roots and herbs.

Women who suffer from those distressing ills should not lose sight of these facts or doubt the ability of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound to restore their health.

If you want special advice write to Mrs. Pinkham, at Lynn, Mass. She will treat your letter as strictly confidential. For 20 years she has been helping sick women in this way, free of charge. Don't hesitate—write at once.

WOULDN'T CHARGE FOR AID

But Good Samaritan Farmer Would Sell His Team to the Stalled Automobileist.

"Hi, there, mister," said Witherbee, to a passing farmer, as his car stuck in the mud. "What'll you charge me for the use of your team to pull this car out of the mud?"

"Why," returned the farmer, scratching his head in a puzzled sort of fashion, "I'm not the kind of a fellow as would charge a sufferin' feller with anything at all for helpin' him out o' trouble."

"That's mighty nice of you," said Witherbee.

"No, sir," said the farmer. "My conscience wouldn't never rest if I done a thing like that. Jest couldn't look my wife or the person in the face if I took pay for bein' a good Samaritan."

"By George!" said Witherbee. "It does my heart good to hear a man talk that way these days."

"Wa-al, it's been a rule o' mine ever since I was a boy," said the old man. "I wish there were more people like you," said Witherbee.

"Pity there ain't," said the farmer; "but I don't take any pride in myself becuz of it. Ciddap!"

"But I can't," said Witherbee. "Where are you going? You haven't helped me out of the mud yet?"

"Why," said the old man, "you hain't made me any offer."

"What for?" demanded Witherbee.

"For the team," said the farmer. "I can't charge ye nothin' for helpin' ye, but I'll sell ye the hosses for \$50 a head."—Harper's Bazar.

CURIOUS TRAITS OF ANIMALS

Peculiar Habits of Flies, Hens, Mice Snakes and Goldfish, Some of Them Unexplainable.

A fly on a window pane will crawl to the top, fly back to the bottom and crawl up again. This order is seldom reversed. Why, no one knows, it is on record that a fly crawled up a window pane thirty-two times, returning each time a-wing.

Hens scratch for food with the sun behind them, the reason being that the rays reflect on the minute particles. A blind hen will pick grain and not miss a kernel.

Cats seldom lie with their feet to the fire. Usually they lie on the left side. Dogs lie with their fore paws to the fire.

A mouse will ignore a food supply sufficient for a meal and run great risks to nibble at a wholesale supply, says the Milwaukee Sentinel. It will hide at the source of food supply and not depart therefrom until actually disturbed. It isn't true that a mouse runs to a hole at the first alarm.

Find a harmless little snake the length of a lead pencil and provide a box for it in the house, visit it daily, and at the end of three months it will crawl to you for food.

Goldfish usually swim around a globe to the right. They can be taught to take a fly out of the hand in six weeks' time. The presence of other fish in the globe is generally ignored by goldfish. Drop a piece of chip on the surface of the water and it will frighten a fish.

GREENE WAS A LUCKY MAN

His Last Five Dollar Bill Found in Two Places, and His Conscience Elastic.

"If anybody but Greene had told me this, I wouldn't have believed it, and I wouldn't have believed him if it had happened to anybody but Greene," said the man. "The other day Greene lost five dollars. When he got home, he began to figure out where he might have lost it. There was a chance every time he took out his pocketbook. He had his pocketbook in his hand, he remembered, when he left the drug store at One Hundred and Fourth street, and again when he left the florist's at One Hundred and First street."

"In order to expedite the search Greene telephoned the news of his loss to the druggist. The druggist was very accommodating. He promised to put the whole drug store force on the job and to telephone back the result as soon as the premises had been thoroughly searched."

"While waiting for a message from the druggist Greene telephoned to the florist, and received similar assurances of co-operation. In about five minutes the druggist called up. The five dollars had been found lying under the edge of a dry goods box on the pavement and would be handed over to Greene."

"Greene jumped into his coat and grabbed his hat, but before he got to the door the florist telephoned that the five dollars had been found in the ash can just outside his door, and would be held against all comers until Greene called for it. Greene's conscience is of the India rubber variety, so he had no compunctions about collecting the five dollars from both druggist and florist. I'll bet that wouldn't happen to anybody else on earth but Greene."

"SEA FRUIT" IS DELICIOUS

Many Little Shellfish of the Mediterranean of Which the French Make Good Use.

Fruits de mer ("sea fruit"), this is the comprehensive name by which the numerous little shellfish of the Mediterranean are known; the term, affectionate if you will, which the French use in speaking of these contributions of the sea which are at their best in Marseilles and all along the Riviera, over the border into sunny Italy.

Marseilles is the great fish market of southern France and, though of northern Italy, while Naples of course is the center for southern Italy. Along the quays of all three cities an epicure on his rambles will find much of interest and many a new sensation for his palate.

Bouillabaisse, even before it was made famous in literature by Thackeray, was considered the piece de resistance of southern France and maitre de poisson a close second. But for my part the most luscious morsels of the fruits of the blue Mediterranean are the little shellfish which are sold from the booths along the quays or in the open air kitchens where amid odors of garlic and oil, a whiff of the salt air from the sea and of great masses of wet seaweed upon which the shellfish are temptingly arranged make the nostrils dilate even as the sight of the seductive wares tickle the palate and force one to stop and investigate.—Epicure.

A Musical Prodigy.

In 1841 arrived in London a Russian boy, called Antoine Rubinstein, not twelve years old, whose performances on the piano had excited wonder and delight among the musical amateurs. He was equally skilled in the ancient as well as modern style of playing and gave with wonderful effect the most difficult passages of Bach or Thalberg. All this, too, was done with the utmost apparent ease, and in the most difficult passages he frequently indulged himself in grotesque imitations of the peculiar trickeries of the composer upon whose music he was engaged.—The Russian Boy

The Shutter is No More.

A writer describes the forenoon Sunday Strand and Fleet Street as "a shuttered desert," and doubtless he is quite satisfied with the phrase. But is it accurate? How many shuttered windows does he think he would see in these thoroughfares on a Sunday or at any other time when the shops are shut? As a matter of fact the shutter has gone from central London, and is rapidly passing even from the suburbs. At what date did the shutter begin to disappear? It was a fitting of all shops as late as the '80s. The worst the modern shop shows on Sundays is the blind. And most shops present the week-day temptation with a closed door.—London Chronicle.

Once Was Enough.

"Of course," said the surgeon who had operated for appendicitis, "there will be a scar." "That's all right," replied the patient. "Leave any kind of mark you like that will prevent some strange doctor from coming along and operating again."—Winchester Herald.

Exegesis.

"My dog's nose now is what Mexico has just been." "How so?" "He can smell a storm coming up when the sun is shining." "I don't see the connection." "Why, isn't his nose a storm scent?"

LIFE PERIODS AND CLOTHES

How a Man's Tastes in Raiment Differ From Youth to Car—less Old Age.

It is interesting to follow a man in the matter of his raiment. There are established periods in his life where in his tastes differ, and his ways differ, and from start to finish the matter is one of considerable interest.

When he is under age and at college, his taste runs riot in the matter of clothing. Weird checks, fearful plaids, remarkable cuts of balloon-like pants and box-like coats appeal to him. The matter of a quarter inch in length of a coat concerns him greatly, and he begins to have his pants pressed with four creases in them, pointing to the north, south, east and west.

When he goes to work he carries some of this wonderful raiment with him. It is a link that connects him with glad college days. But the link wears out, and he is busy, and presently you see him in wholly different attire. He is neat enough, but his weird taste has changed.

He now goes in for business suits and is painfully exact in his dress for the evening.

But as he gets along in business he begins to have his clothing pressed. He marries and his wife keeps after him to put on a clean collar. He has long ceased to wear shoes for looks and has his shoes made to order because he likes 'em to be 4 17-18 inches wide at the toe in order to obtain comfort. He has them shined whenever any event comes along and reminds him of it.

And finally his whole family leap upon him. They call him slouchy, and when he gets a new suit it is a family matter in which the individual views of the family combine, and his own are lost. For it's always that way, and probably always will be.—Galveston News.

High Recommendations.

"Why did you leave your last place?" asked Mrs. Hiram Daly of the would-be cook. "I haven't left me last place," replied the applicant. "I haven't any last place to leave. I've been workin' for meself for the past year, an' I can recommend meself to yer very highly."—Boston Transcript.

Advice to Business Women.

Neither the swelled head nor the despairing heart is of much use to the woman in business. Make good things—as good as or better than other people's—ask a fair price, so that there is a clear profit on materials and time used, and do not lose courage.

Sandy Plains Fair

Millsboro, Pa.
August 8, 9 and 10, 1911

Four Racy Races each day PROGRAMME

WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY
No. 1. 2:25 Pace.....\$200	No. 1. 2:35 Trot.....\$200
No. 2. 2:25 Trot..... 250	No. 2. 2:18 Pace..... 250
No. 3. Free for All Pace 300	No. 3. Free for All Trot 300
No. 4. Pacers who never started for money 100	No. 4. Trot for horses never started for money 100
No. 5. On half mile dash 75	No. 5. One half mile and repeat..... 100

B. Frank Emery, Secretary, Millsboro, Pa.

PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD

SIXTEEN-DAY EXCURSIONS

August 8, 17, and 31, September 14, 1911

\$10 or \$12 to Atlantic City, Cape May

Wildwood, Anglen, Holly Beach, Ocean City, Sea Isle City, Avalon, Stone Harbor, N. J., Rehoboth, Del., and Ocean City, Md.

\$12 or \$14 to Asbury Park, Long Branch

West End, Hollywood, Elberon, Deal Beach, Allenhurst, North Asbury Park, Ocean Grove, Bradley Beach, Avon, Belmar, Combs, Spring Lake, Sea Girt, Brielle, Point Pleasant, Manasquan, and Bay Head, N. J.

FROM CHARLEROI

Tickets at the lower rate good only in Coaches. Tickets at the higher rate good in Parlor or Sleeping Cars in connection with proper Pullman tickets.

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Read the Mail

The Charleroi Mail's Business Building Bureau

Is Your Business Sick? Do you think you should have more trade? Is there anything worrying you in connection with the growth of your business?

WE HAVE THE REMEDY

We have retained the services locally of the greatest retail and bank advertising expert in this country, Dundas Henderson, and now put his services at your disposal. Write out an account of your whole business troubles freely and frankly and send them to this office. We will pass the letter on to Mr. Henderson and you will receive from him in a few days a solution of your difficulties—the same kind of solution that has made success for thousands of merchants in the same position as yourself.

It may be that a new style of advertising will make a difference in your business.

Possibly a certain kind of advertising folder that has brought success to others is what you need.

A particular method of window dressing may be what will bring you the success you lack.

Special salesmanship that has made success in similar circumstances may be indicated in your business.

Some scheme of a novel kind that will bring the money pouring into your mon-drawer is possible.

You competitors may be worrying you and you want a knowledge of the latest method of fighting them.

You may need help in getting in your bad debts—a few hints can be given that have materially helped OTHERS out of trouble.

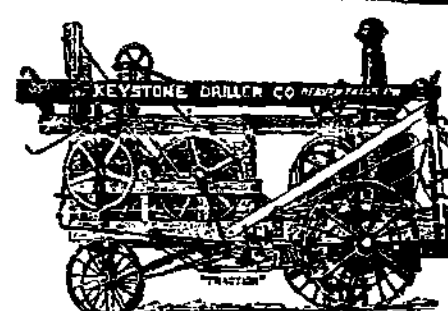
How to conduct a special sale or sales, may possibly be the shortest way out of your worries.

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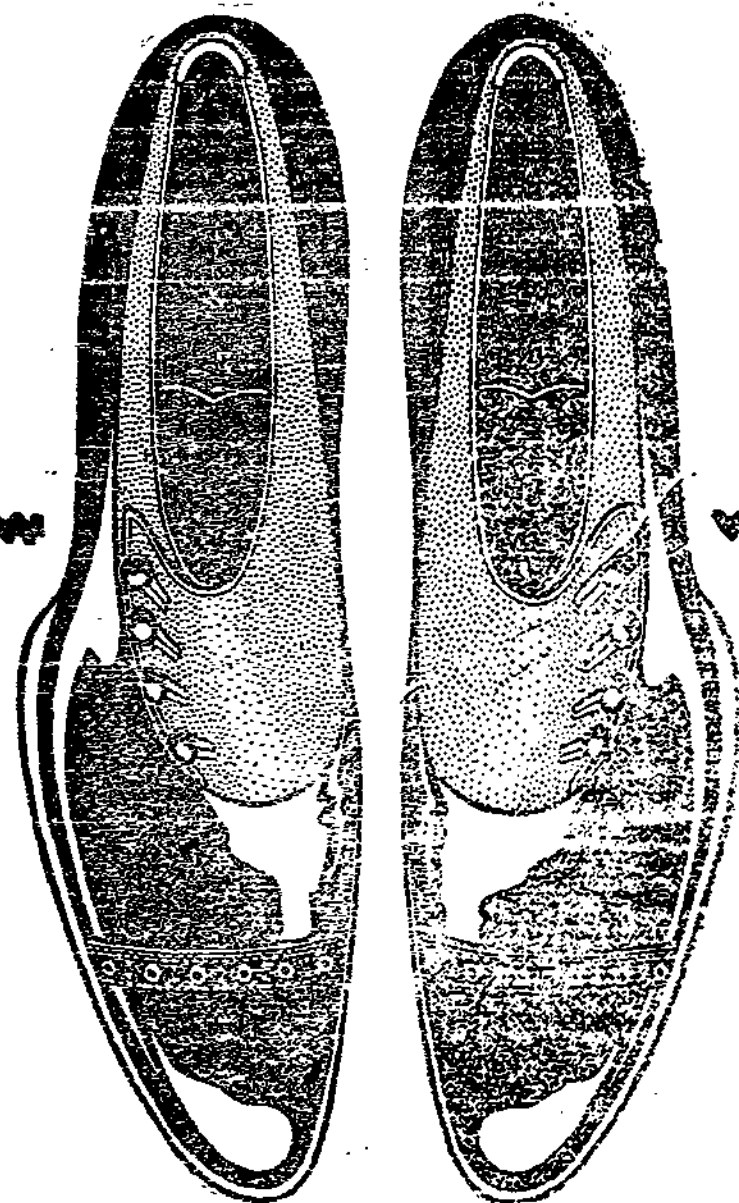
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CHARLEROI TAKES OVER MONESSEN

Visiting Team Loses to Locals in Second of Series

KIEFER DOES THE HEAVING

By landing on the ball when landing meant runs, the Charleroi Independents defeated the Page team from Monessen Saturday afternoon by the score of 6 to 3. The game was the second of a series between the Independents and the Monessen aggregations. The local outlaws started the first contest away the same as they did the Saturday game. There is another yet to come.

Charleroi did their scoring in the first five innings. Joe Mason was given a walk in the first. He was sacrificed to second and came home on an error. In the next round Deitz was safe on a slip-up of McFall's, went second and third on an error and came home on a single. In the third there were two runs scored on four hits. Kiefer singled. Mathers flied out. Joe Mason singled to left, and Wilson duplicated the feat. Kiefer scored. On Makepeace's single Mason came in.

Newton pulled off a three baser in the fourth first pop out of the box and trotted up the home path when Butz singled. Mathers contracted two bases on a hit in the fifth and went third when Shupe made a mistake. He scored on Makepeace's lacer to right for one base.

The Page team got one in the second. McLaughlin doubled and went third on a passed ball. Lamey singled, and McLaughlin came in. McLaughlin started the scoring for Monessen in the ninth again. He singled, Lamey flied out and Jones was safe on a fielder's choice. When McFall singled and Mathers let a ball go without taking the proper precautions to stop it, McLaughlin and Jones scored. Kiefer pitched well throughout. Score: Charleroi R. H. P. A. E. Mathers, m 1 0 1 1 Mason, lf 2 1 2 0 0 Wilson, 1 0 2 0 0 0 Makepeace, c 0 2 5 1 0 Deitz, r 1 0 3 0 0 Newton, 3 1 2 3 0 0 Butz, 2 0 2 1 2 0 Kuhn, s 0 0 3 4 0 Kiefer, p 1 2 1 5 1 Totals 6 12 27 18 2

Page R. H. P. A. E. McFall, p 0 1 1 2 2 Rivers, 1 0 1 2 0 0 Underwood, r.p. 0 0 2 1 0 Wolfe, 1 0 1 4 1 0 Doney, c 0 0 6 4 0 Shupe, 3 0 1 0 1 1 McLaughlin, m 2 2 0 0 0 Lamey, 2 0 1 7 1 0 Hogg, p 0 0 0 0 1 Jones, r 1 1 2 1 0 Totals 3 8 24 11 4

Charleroi 6, Monessen 3. Two base hits—McLaughlin, Rivers, Mathers. Three-base hit—Newton. Sacrifice hits—Rivers, Mason, Wilson, Newton, Kuhn. Stolen bases—Wolfe, Lamey. Double play—Butz, Kuhn and Wilson; Jones, Doney and Lamey. Bases on balls—Off Kiefer 1, off Hogg 1. Struck out—By Hogg 2, by Underwood 2, by Kiefer 4. Umpire—Daniel and Daily.

Charleroi Church League

Standing of Clubs	W.	L.	Pct.
Lutherans	12	1	.923
Episcopal	8	5	.615
Catholics	8	5	.615
Christians	7	6	.538
Baptists	6	7	.462
First Pres.	5	8	.384
W. A. Pres.	3	10	.230
Methodists	3	10	.230

Games This Week

Monday	Tuesday	Thursday	Friday
Lutherans vs. First Presbyterians	W. A. Pres. vs. Christians	Methodists vs. Episcopal	Catholics vs. Baptists

Couldn't Be Otherwise.

A doctor was called to the bedside of a fond mother's baby boy. He diagnosed the ailment as acute rheumatism and the mother responded quickly: "Acute rheumatism? I might have known it; everything he does or says is just as cuts."

BASEBALL BINGLES

Katsy Kiefer showed his fettle on Saturday. He had those Monessenites blinking.

Joe Mason and Eddie Butz don't look as though they were going to quit playing ball very much when they appear in uniforms on the ball lot.

Bert Wilson, of the First Presbyterians occupied the first base corner for the Independents and occupied it with credit both to himself and the team. Moreover Albert got two hits out of three times at bat.

Newton and Mathers were the only Charleroi players to get extra base swats.

Some of those Monessen players, by the way have enthused bigger leagues than the erstwhile Monongahela valley.

Newton stuck to third pan with all the determination of a bull in a china shop. At the bat he got two out of three hits.

Eddie Butz batted seventh and was there with his ready stick just the same as though he headed the list.

It looked as though the Church League race was going to resolve itself in to a battle for second place.

If the Lutherans could have held off until next Friday for winning the pennant maybe there wouldn't have been some interest.

The chief swatter of the Church League is going to get something this year. Come to think of it, it's a suit of clothes.

If they keep up their work there is no reason why some of these youngsters in the church league should not be doing big time a few years hence.

LOCAL MENTION

Mrs. George Newton and two daughters of McKean avenue, visited in Elrama over Sunday.

A. G. Lewis arrived home from Morgantown, W. Va., Saturday to spend a couple of weeks here.

Christy Roberts, who is employed at Bentleyville as manager of the Bentleyville Ice company's plant was an over Sunday visitor with his parents Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Roberts of Crest avenue and Seventh street.

Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Stewart spent Sunday in Pittsburgh with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Barnett and sons George, Bruce and Frank spent Sunday visiting friends in Homestead.

E. H. Arrison was a Sunday visitor in Connellsville.

Mrs. Charles Bateman spent Sunday in Duquesne visiting relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Richardson were over Sunday visitors with friends in McKeesport.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Greenberg and children have gone to Atlantic City where they will spend several days.

Mr. F. J. John is a Pittsburgh visitor today.

Raymond Kent left Saturday for Brisbane, where he will spend a few days with his mother, Mrs. Mary Kent.

C. E. Cummings was a visitor in West Elizabeth Sunday.

Misses Edith and Agnes Hazlett have returned from a visit at Atlantic City.

Mrs. Joseph Lichter and children have returned from a five weeks' visit in Baltimore.

Miss Minnie Porter is a visitor in Pittsburgh with friends.

H. C. Courtwright of Homestead visited friends in town Sunday.

William H. Sodman of Toledo, O., has arrived in Charleroi for a visit. James T. Williams left today for Ford City on a business trip.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Whitlatch spent Sunday at Fallowfield visiting relatives and friends.

Jay Reeves of Fallowfield avenue, spent Sunday in Erie.

William C. Walters chief of the mail job rooms, began his vacation this morning. He will spend two weeks motorcycling.

Mrs. W. A. Hazlett and daughter Miss Irene of Connellsville, have been guests of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Smith of Seventh street returned home Sunday.

Miss Ina Kline is home from a visit at Chautauqua for a couple of weeks.

Rev. J. T. Hackett, pastor of the First Presbyterian church, will take his vacation during the month of August. With his family he will visit his parents at Philadelphia and take a trip out to Cedarville, N. J., where he formerly occupied a charge. For three Sundays there will be no church service at the First Presbyterian Church.

ENTERTAINMENT COMMITTEE WILL HOLD MEETING

For the purpose of electing permanent officers for the year and to attend to other matters of importance a meeting of the Charleroi Citizens' Entertainment course guarantors will be held Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock at the Borough building. The last season's course was the most successful held in years and there is a good balance with which to start this season's course. The list of attractions will be picked out.

NATIONAL MINE OFFICIALS ATTEND DEMONSTRATION

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somewhat general. He took up matters of the various fields pointing out where conditions could be remedied by a concentration of forces. He was somewhat bitter against Robert Gibbons, who claimed the presidency of District No. 5, but whom the national organization failed to recognize. He said that Gibbons had been invited to come to conventions to explain his position but had turned down the invitation.

President White Applauded.

President White was applauded when he was introduced by Feehan. He plunged at once into the subject matter of his discourse, which was like that of Hayes somewhat general. He covered a lot of points and then narrowed down to a discussion of matters in the Pittsburgh field, where the Irwin strike was terminated recently with a victory for the mine owners. He plead for a solidification of the organization. President White saw fit to pay President Feehan a high tribute, while without mentioning names he derided his opposers and enemies in the district. He said: "It seems to me that if I thought Francis Feehan was not doing things right and was trespassing on his authority as district president, I wouldn't beat around the bush telling people about it and try to fight him through a separate organization. I would stay right in the organization and I would oust Feehan or know the reason why. But Feehan's enemies are not doing that. They are only trying to injure him. Fortunately they are accomplishing nothing."

Two foreign organizers gave talks to foreign miners who were present. The celebration ended in the evening with a dance.

MARY STUART'S BLACK PEARL

Story of Accidental Recovery of the Scottish Queen's Necklace in a Little Shop.

A remarkable story appears in a Paris contemporary of the discovery of the black pearl necklace of Mary Queen of Scots, which disappeared on February 9, 1587. We give the story as we find it.

A lady cyclist had a mishap with the cord of her pince-nez while touring in an obscure town in Scotland. The lady pulled up at the general shop and tried to replace the cord. The shopkeeper, not having a suitable cord, told the lady he would take the wire from an old necklace which he showed her.

She, being struck with it, said she would buy it at the price asked—12s. 6d.—and so as best she could for a cord. On reaching her lodgings the lady cleared the pearls and was struck with their beauty.

The lady's next procedure was to submit the necklace to an expert jeweler, who pronounced the pearls to be of very great value, and the Paris contemporary from which we have taken the story says they are worth at least £15,000, adding that on the day of the execution the unfortunate queen of Scotland divided among her women who attended, her ornaments and jewels, including the necklace of black pearls. How it passed into the hands of the ancestors of the shopkeeper is a mystery.

Really Essential.

At the tenth child, aged six, a quiet little girl, taking a very good view of life. She was carried to her mother's room to make the acquaintance of the eleventh arrival, a brother. Her attention was called to the beauty of this gift from God. She looked earnestly at the object of praise, trying to see the bright side of the situation, then said, "He is very nice, but we did not really need him."

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Dr. Edred M. Conner of London, alleges that appendicitis is due to white flour. Steel from the mill rollers gets into the flour. We eat this minute steel and as it goes round the bend it shunts off on the blind sliding. In time it stacks up like a culm heap and irritation ensues.

A good part of the steel is absorbed, to be sure. That explains why it is not found in any of the cases operated on. But the point is, no doubt, that more than the 10-penny nail of iron allowed to each mortal is taken in and the body's magnetic equilibrium is thereby upset. The man who invented Graham bread died of indigestion, but if he had drawn a magnet through it before baking he would have removed the steel particles and might have lived forever.

The wise cook today will buy a small magnet and thoroughly stir her flour with it before putting in the water and yeast. Let her wipe off the magnet every little while. The black specks that adhere are tiny bits of steel. Bread made in this way may be eaten without fear of appendicitis.

Love All.

There is no harm to a man's heart like love, not only the love others feel towards him, but that he feels towards others. Be in love with all things, not only with your fellows, but with the whole world, with every creature that walks the earth, with the birds in the air, with the insects in the grass—H. Fielding Hall

The Difficulty.

The First Worker—Manner born be blowed! D'you mean ter say if me an' you come into a bit o' splash we couldn't keep our ends up with these ere dooks and people?"

His Doubting Friend—Oh, we should be alright; but our missuses'd give the game away, yer know.—The Sketch

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